

Victoria and vicinity for 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Sunday. Fresh to strong south and west winds, partly cloudy with occasional sheet of rain.

# JAPAN'S REPLY TO LEAGUE IS REJECTED

## B.C. To Benefit From Lower Grain Rates Poultry Raisers Hear Levies on Cars from Prairies To Be Cut

Reports at Ottawa Say Rates  
From Plains Farm Areas to  
This Coast Soon Are to Be  
Reduced

**Large Market In  
B.C. For Feed**

Canadian Press  
Ottawa, Jan. 21.—Reports are prevalent that the domestic freight rates on feed grains westward are to be reduced. The decrease will be of benefit to Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia, and to a lesser extent to Manitoba.

Domestic freight rates are higher than export rates. In the schedules under consideration the difference between these two tariffs is likely to be cut from forty to fifty per cent.

The reduction in rates would enable the prairie farmers to find a market for their number 6 grain. The plains farmers have a large stock of this feed grain on hand.

**CHEAPER FEED**

Poultry and chicken farmers of British Columbia would get cheaper feed grain as a consequence. A large market exists in the Coast province for this commodity.

The situation is under review, with indications of an early decision in the way of reduction of domestic freight rates on feed grain westbound.

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**DEBATE LOOMS  
ON FIRE CREW**

Requests to Replace Men and  
Equipment Will Go to  
City Council

Indications that the fire department estimates will prove a bone of contention for the City Council appeared to-day with three different angles of the question to go to the council Monday night.

The latest action in connection with the department is a recommendation from the fire wardens that three firemen superannuated at the end of last year be replaced by new men. Since there was an impression that the council that the staff of the department was to be reduced, the number of men, it is fairly certain the move to take on the new men will provoke an argument.

Alderman W. A. Luney, the new chairman of the fire wardens, this morning talked the matter over with Mayor Leeming.

In addition the council on Monday will receive the fire chief's reports in which replacement of the serial ladder wagon and a combination pumper in the near future is stated necessary. This would involve considerable expense.

While facing these expenditures to keep the department up to its efficiency mark, the council has been told that an increase in fire insurance rates is due within the next two months and has been asked to apply for legislative control of the rates. This matter is under investigation at the present time.

One of the facts that the insurance rates are stated by the underwriters to be tied up with the efficiency of the fire department, the subject of more men and more apparatus at a time when every avenue of

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**In London 10,000  
Bus-men On Strike**

Many People Turn to Other  
Forms of Transportation  
and Subway Trains and  
Trolley Cars Crowded

London, Jan. 21.—Ten thousand bus drivers and conductors in the London area went on strike to-day, and half the bus service in the city was tied up.

This was an unofficial strike by employees of the London General Omnibus Company resulting from the refusal of the men at one garage to carry out a new order speeding up the service. This morning the strike had spread to nineteen garages and thousands who use the buses daily to go to their places of employment crowded into the subway and trolley cars.

### GOLD BILL VOTED BY U.S. SENATE

Washington, Jan. 21.—The Senate to-day voted to extend for another year the provisions of the Glass-Steagall Act for expansion of the "free gold" supply. The House has yet to act, but presidential approval is expected.

**WOMEN SAY  
MEN ERRED**

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Wives of unemployed men, some stating their children were suffering from scurvy through under-nourishment, appeared before the City Council yesterday and expressed keen disappointment that their men folk had refused to accompany the city relief committee on a visit to the provincial cabinet to ask for more relief.

They heard the news, however, that the city had decided to grapple with the situation by raising the scale through its own pocket from \$24.50 to \$30 maximum for a family of four.

The woman, Mrs. Dorothy Campbell, expressed keen resentment over their men folk not going to the government with the relief committee.

**MISTAKE MADE**

"It was a mistake I'm sure," said Mrs. Campbell. "And, speaking for myself and these other mothers I'm sorry we didn't go with you. We will go now if you want us to go."

Another woman in the delegation said four of her six children had broken out with a rash which she thought was scurvy because they had not received sufficient nourishment. Her case, along with any others which

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**NO UPSETS IN  
SCOTTISH CUP**

Leading Teams Win To-day in First Round of Football Series

Glasgow, Scotland, Jan. 21.—The three top teams of the Scottish Soccer League playing to-day in the first round of the Scottish Cup came out unscathed. Twenty-two matches were played.

Motherwell, cup holders and co-leaders of the Scottish League with Rangers, defeated Hamilton 2 to 0 before a large crowd. Celtic trounced Dunfermline 7 to 1 to ensure their place in the second round and the other top team, Hearts, had an easy victory over Solway Star 3 to 0.

Rangers did not play their cup game to-day but were playing against a Vienna team.

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### EXCHANGE DOLLAR DROPS SLIGHTLY

Exchange rates at the close to-day, quoted by the Canadian Press, were:

Pound sterling, Montreal, \$1.85; U.S. dollar in Montreal, \$1.14%; AT NEW YORK

New York, Jan. 21.—The Canadian dollar closed on the New York foreign exchange market to-day at 87½ cents, a decline of ½ cent from yesterday. The market held steadily throughout the day's session, opening at a discount of 12½ cents and finishing at 12½.

The pound sterling ended the day at \$3.5375, a ½ cent higher, after opening at \$3.536.

### NEW ITALIAN ENVOY



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### GEORGE MOORE, WRITER, DIES

Famous Irish Novelist Passes in London in Eighty-first Year; Active to End

Hailed By Some as Last of Great Victorians; Target For Much Criticism

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### FARMERS STOP EVICTION MOVE

William, Minn., Jan. 21.—A large group of farmers today prevented a foreclosure sale of the farm on which Soren Hanson has lived for fifty-seven years. The farmers, estimated to number 1,000, gathered at the county court house and Sheriff Paul E. Anderson postponed the sale for two weeks.

Canadian Press  
St. John, N.B., Jan. 21.—All the crew aboard the rudderless St. John schooner Dawn Wilkie were taken off safely to-day by a boat from Boston, according to a wireless telephone call received from a ship on the Atlantic by Mrs. N. A. Wilkie.

Capt. Wilkie, the master, told his wife he and his crew would be landed at Shelburne, N.S., to-night.

The name of the rescue ship could not be distinguished on the telephone.

**TRAIN OFF TRACK;  
NO ONE HURT**

Apartment Owners Ask Repeal of Rates By-law Passed Last Year

Owners of apartment houses appeared in delegation before the public works committee of the City Council yesterday afternoon to protest against the increase in water service charges imposed against their properties last year and to ask that they be abolished.

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Mr. H. C. Holmes, James Forman and H. D. Patterson spoke for the apartment owners.

Mr. Holmes declared the delegation represented practically all the apartment owners in the city, indicating the adverse interest created by the increase in charges.

The new rates effected an increase of from fifty to 1,000 per cent in the service charges against different types of apartments, he maintained. The legislation was directed only at one type of property and was unfair, he said, terming it "discriminatory and unfair discrimination."

Mr. Forman and Mr. Patterson supported his arguments, citing special cases of how the charge had operated.

The rates made effective last October provided that where more than one service was required, there should be an extra charge above the \$1 service charge made against all properties using water. It was pointed out by the delegation that in the case of a 20-unit apartment this meant an increase from \$12 to \$72 a year in the service charge.

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### REVENUE FALLS IN WINNIPEG

Canadian Press

Winnipeg, Jan. 21.—A decrease of between \$15,000,000 and \$20,000,000 in Winnipeg's property assessment on property is expected this year, according to an announcement. The cut will mean a decrease of more than \$500,000 in the city's tax revenue. Property assessment in 1932 totaled \$238,407,750.

### STONES ON ROAD BEFORE VALERA

Dublin, Irish Free State, Jan. 21.—Police disclosed to-day that a file of stones was scattered through County Kerry yesterday in his campaign for the Dail election of next Tuesday, his advance guard discovered a barricade of stones across the road. It was removed before the President's car arrived and there was no trouble.

At five meetings of former President W. T. Cosgrave's party in Galway 800 members of the Army Comrades' Association were on hand, but no disorder arose.

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## Trinstan da Cunha Has New Governor

Lonely British Island in South Atlantic Not Producing Enough Potatoes Now For Its 162 Inhabitants

Canadian Press Staff Writer

London, Jan. 21.—Britain's most lonely outpost, the Island of Tristan da Cunha in the South Atlantic Ocean, receives only 162 inhabitants and no more than even potatoes. The British island must go farther ahead," declared Mr. Mackenzie. "There is no room for a Liberal Party."

TRADE AGREEMENT

Returning to the agreements reached at the recent Ottawa Conference, Mr. Mackenzie contended they would result in no great benefit to primary producers, and he thought that in time they would prove a detriment to the interests of the country.

Mr. Mackenzie declared "a 50 per cent preference to the Old Land without any conditions whatever, is what the Liberal Party stands for."

The minister spoke in the Japanese Diet, and the text of his remarks was made public by the embassy here.

"I am convinced that in view of the auspicious growth of Manchukuo and the marked advantage thereby accruing to all peoples in the world," he said, "the League of Nations and governments of the powers will eventually recognize the fairness and justice of the position we have taken up with regard to Manchukuo."

"Now I have any doubt that in the end the Chinese themselves will be won to the idea of mutual aid and co-operation between Manchukuo and Manchuria, each as an independent state, to be the best means of ensuring peace in the Orient."

While Mr. Partridge was on the island the new governor ordered the lastest woman on the island to stand on stocks constructed on a ship's deck.

The Island was originally a tiny military station when it was feared by the British that Napoleon's would-be successors might use it as a base in an attempt to free him from St. Helena. It has frequently been suggested the inhabitants be settled in South Africa, but they are unwilling to leave, and moreover if the British government forsakes the spot it is certain some other power would occupy it despite its inhospitality.

Wales Takes Rugby Match

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During the intermission discussions raged as to whether or not England had properly scored her try. Thousands decided Elliott had touched the ball down.

Immediately on the resumption of play, Wales went into the attack. Bon was left unmarked and scored a drop goal from twenty yards out. England who kept him in the field, held the Welshmen who had an onslaught on the English line and then Wooldrill tried an unsuccessful drop with his left foot.

R. Gerrard, who hails from Bath on the English team, was hurt in a tackle on the left field and the struggle continued, most of it being carried on the England end of the field. The Welsh forwards were too much for the English players, and Bon finally scored a try which Jenkins converted.

Wales won the first match and remained a great cheer from the crowd who apparently were convinced they deserved the win. The fast play of the Welsh forwards completely upset the English backs and the Welsh won the game. W. Wooldrill Bay, an eighteen-year-old schoolboy, played a great game and startled the fans.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Antivision Society, annual meeting, Thursday, January 26, 8.15, Uptown Centre, Fort Street. Information regarding essay prizes (\$80, \$30, \$25) from secretary, 315 Sayward Building.

Apparently all Steyvenson's patrons are taking advantage of their ten per cent discount plan. Assorted Nut Kunchy Britties only 15¢ per 1-pound this week at Steyvenson's. \*\*\*

Constipation—H. Hallor, D.C. electricity, diet, manipulations. \$5.50. \*\*\*

H. H. Livsey, chiropractic specialist, 312-3 Pender Street Building. \*\*\*

Oak Bay Plectro Orchestra concert, Wednesday evening, 8.15. Chamber of Commerce auditorium. Mr. George Dyke will conduct. Two grand dances from Violet Fowke's studio. Tickets at Fletcher Bros. \*\*\*

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, January 24, 2.45 p.m. Mrs. Millieff, MacKinnon, "India Past and Present." Soloist, Mrs. Arthur Dowell. \*\*\*

Pantorium Dye Works of Canada Limited, Fort Street. Phone E 7155. Men's Three-piece Suits, Dry Cleaned and Pressed, \$1.00

COAL AND WOOD PAINTER & SONS Phone G 2311 Cormerant St.

## RAIL MERGER IS OPPOSED

Liberals Unwilling C.N.R. Be Absorbed By C.P.R., Says Hon. Ian Mackenzie

North Vancouver, Jan. 21.—The Liberal Party must stand guard against attempts to give the Canadian Pacific Railway control of the Canadian National Railways, said Hon. Ian Mackenzie, M.P. for Vancouver Centre, addressing a meeting here yesterday evening.

"Times are changing. Canada is changing. You must change your financial system and the monopoly of the banks—that is the big problem of Liberalism," he said.

Mr. Mackenzie declared that if the banks should fail to co-operate toward relieving the present crisis, the country might be confronted with the problem of finding a national bank of issue and power and it will then become necessary to undertake complete nationalization of the banking system of Canada. The member was convinced control of credit and currency would have to be vested in a national institution and taken away from financial operators.

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"BUILD B.C. PAYROLLS

A  
Grape Nut  
Cake

PACIFIC  
EVAPORATED  
MILK

This is one of Miss A. C. C.'s recipes: Mix together 2 1/2 cups flour, 2 teaspoons baking powder, scant 1/2 cup sugar, 1 cup grape nuts and 1/2 teaspoon of salt.

Add 16 ozs. dry ingredients 1/2 cup Pacific Milk, 1/2 cup water, 1 egg and a teaspoonful of maple flavor.

Bake 45 minutes in a slow oven.

Other of these will be sent upon request or if you have economical recipes please send them to be given to other cooks.

Pacific Milk

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Plant at Abbotsford

IN THE MATTER OF THE UNPAID MONEYS ACT, 1914  
AND  
IN THE MATTER OF THE B.C. ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED

Unclaimed Security Deposits in the Hands of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company Limited, at 31st of December, 1932

ANG LUNG	845 Fisgard St.	\$3.69
SAMFORD, M.	1301 Hollywood Crescent	1.65
HARRIS, J. M.	1308 Stanley Ave.	3.00
STIRKLAND, D.	1312 Linden and McKenzie Ave.	10
MISHOP, D.	1312 Whittaker St.	3.00
SLANE, J. M.	1320 Linden Ave.	3.00
SLANE, J. M.	1321 Sturdee St.	3.00
SLANE, J. M.	1322 Cook St.	3.00
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## FRANCE WOULD LIKE TO TALK DEBT ADJUSTMENT

France has intimated that she is ready to negotiate in respect of her debt to the United States if President Hoover and President-elect Roosevelt should choose to reopen the question.

It is easily understood that France would like the uncertainty of this matter cleared up at the earliest possible moment. But the United States does not seem to have considered her case when the Washington government, with the approval of Mr. Roosevelt, invited Great Britain to send a delegation to discuss the bill which Britain owes to the neighboring republic—and to examine the whole question of the world's economic ills.

When France refused to meet the December instalment of \$19,261,432 interest on her post-war debt to the United States she placed herself in rather an invidious position. Not only had she funded her debt at an interest rate approximately one-third of that which Great Britain contracted to pay, but she also had in the vaults of the Bank of France gold to the value of nearly \$3,500,000, or very nearly as much as the United States, and practically five times as much as the Bank of England. Then a few days after December 15 she loaned a little more than \$13,000,000 to Hungary.

Great Britain met her instalment when it fell due. She paid in gold and reduced her stock of the yellow metal by about \$120,000,000. The amount of the instalment was \$95,550,000; but the depreciated pound required the payment of the additional sum.

If France had made the payment on December 15, she of course, would have qualified herself for an invitation similar to that which has been extended to Great Britain. She may yet be asked to submit her case to the Washington government for consideration. But, naturally, the feeling in official quarters at the United States capital at the moment appears to be somewhat hostile.

One feature of the debt controversy is the clear fact that if there was one country which could have met its payment last December without any inconvenience that country was France. Britain met a much greater obligation in the face of very difficult circumstances.

## THE MYSTERY OF THE HUMAN BRAIN

Not long ago a farmer, seventy-nine years old, shot himself through the head with a small calibre rifle in an attempt to commit suicide. The bullet, lodging in his brain, should have killed him instantly; but for some reason it did not, and three weeks later he was still clinging tenaciously to life, desperately ill but not dying.

Somehow, because of what the little pellet of lead did to his brain cells, he was living in the world of his youth half a century ago. He did not know that he had tried to kill himself, did not know that he was in bed. He felt that he was at work, a young man, on a farm—driving a team of horses, ploughing a field and so on. To quiet him, a pair of lines was devised on his bed, so that he could hold them, as he lay there, and cluck to his horses until he fell asleep.

There is something eerie and fascinating about this tragic picture. Any man in the fever of a severe illness is apt to lapse into delirium. But the case in question was different.

A few mysterious bits of gray matter are destroyed or displaced, and an old man sloughed off half a century, left his sick bed and roamed the fields of his youth—what are we to make of it? What mysterious, untraceable threads in the network of the brain were at work here? What became of the man himself; where was he, the man and not his physical shadow, while all this was going on?

These are questions, of course, either for a great brain specialist or for a metaphysician; and perhaps even they could only give us guesses. But the questions provide a fascination that comes only when one feels himself standing on the edge of a profound and significant puzzle. Are we utterly at the mercy of the rounded convolutions of our brain furrows? Are we, essentially, those furrows and nothing more? Or do we live beyond them, conditioned by them but ultimately independent of them?

## WHY IS THERE SO MUCH SECRECY?

It ought to be possible for the government at Ottawa to make some announcement regarding the status of the negotiations which have been going on between a private organization in this country and Soviet representatives regarding a barter deal involving the exchange of Canadian cattle and hives for Russian oil and anthracite coal. Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture, has held a sort of watching brief for the authorities at Ottawa and some time ago he expressed the hope that considerable benefit would result from the negotiations upon which he had been working.

A dispatch from Winnipeg says that the government of Soviet Russia can easily take 100,000 head of cattle in the current year and for some years to come without becoming a factor in the export of beef and dairy cattle. This is the joint statement of Mr. J. H. McDonald and Mr. G. G. Serneau, two members of the Canadian syndicate, who have placed the whole proposal before the government.

The statement goes on to point out that many erroneous reports concerning the proposal have been circulated and it denies that any member of the syndicate is in politics, "and so far as we are

concerned, there is absolutely no political phase to the proposition." It adds that there is no truth in the suggestion that Russia asked to be paid in cash for products to be imported from that country, and to obtain credit on the cattle. It was a bona fide transaction, the statement concluded, involving export of cattle from Canada to be paid for by import of products from Russia, which otherwise would be bought from non-British sources and paid for in cash.

## THE ANTI-TARIFF CHORUS SWELLS

Is there some hope that the Bennett government is beginning to realize that its tariff policy really is strangling Canada's trade with the rest of the world? The question is not without point in the light of certain pronouncements by Conservatives and by newspapers friendly to the administration at Ottawa on this subject.

R. Hon. Arthur Meighen, government leader in the Senate, speaking at St. Catharines recently, said "a compact of nations to lower tariffs is part of a logical solution for the depression." In his dissertation on conditions at the end of the year, Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, observed: "We can not, of course, bring the pioneer days back again, nor would we if we could. But we may learn from the pioneers that the thing that matters most of all . . . is the assurance of a steady supply of needed commodities proceeding regularly from the producer to the consumer and the steady and continuous interchange of commodities between our own country and other countries so that the consumers of one country shall be able to secure on an equitable basis the products of another."

With the comments of Mr. Stevens the opposition leader in the House of Commons would heartily agree, for he said at Quebec last Saturday that "what Canada needs to-day is trade—trade with anybody and everybody, with any nation and with every nation which will trade with us on terms which are mutually advantageous."

Another aspect of the tariff business recently was dealt with by The Winnipeg Tribune, an independent newspaper usually quite friendly to the Bennett government, which said that the authorities at Ottawa ought to do some house-cleaning in the Customs Department, and then added: "It (the department in question) is placing every conceivable handicap upon the importation of British goods. Legislators propose, administrators dispose. Every twist and turn in the customs act and regulations are being made use of to prevent importations. . . . Arbitrary and absurd classifications, special imports, costly delays in rulings, rulings that are retroactive, all sorts of tricks are pulled from the bag as departmental officials find necessary in pursuing the doctrine of savage resistance to imports."

Then there is the statement of Sir John Aird, president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, to the annual meeting of the shareholders of that institution, in which he said: "Some bold stroke of international action is required to permit of economic progress and I suggest an early reduction of ten per cent in every tariff in all countries, a move which would not seriously disturb the economy of any, but might check the decline in world trade and lighten the arduous tasks confronting statesmen at the forthcoming world economic conference."

Interviewed in Vancouver yesterday, Mr. G. H. C. Stewart, president of Hull, Blyth and Company (Canada) Limited, who was one of the technical advisers attached to the British delegation at the Ottawa conference, said: "What the world needs to-day is world free trade and perhaps the best way to get it is to continue to increase tariffs." In his reference to the shipping slump we read: "Mr. Stewart comes back to his original diagnosis—the blame lies at the door of tariffs."

Hundreds of other wholly impartial authorities could be quoted in their advocacy of the removal of the restrictions to trade which have reduced the world's business by sixty per cent in the last three years. Even Mr. Bennett ought soon to realize that his one-way trading policy has proved a disastrous failure.

## WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

## DISARMAMENT OR REARMAMENT?

The Manchester Guardian

The only "equality of rights" which can safely be extended to Germany is an equality based on the other powers coming down to her present level. That is the only real and the only tolerable form of disarmament. What this new agreement is only too likely to bring us to is a measure of German rearmament by the permission of the Great Powers, or a second and final withdrawal of Germany from the conference. And what then? What the Poles think will happen may be judged by the alarm which this new agreement has aroused in Warsaw.

## RECORD OF PESSIMISTS

The Toronto Mail and Empire

At the time of the French Revolution, Queen Adelais of England said that she had only one desire, "to play the part of Marie Antoinette with bravery in the revolution that was coming to England."

William Pitt once said: "There is scarcely anything around us but ruin and despair."

Early in the last century, Wilberforce declared: "I dare not marry. The future is so dark and unsettled."

In 1819, Lord Grey believed that everything "was tending to a convolution."

Lord Shaftesbury in 1848: "Nothing can save the British Empire from shipwreck."

Disraeli in 1849: "In industry, commerce and agriculture there is no hope."

On the eve of his death in 1851, the Duke of Wellington thanked God he would "be spared from seeing the consummation of ruin that is gathering around us."

Later in the Great War Lord Lansdowne thought that the Allies could not win.

They were mistaken because they underrated the qualities and staying power of the British race and the powers of recuperation latent in the British Empire.

Again to-day purveyors of despair, even if they sit in high places, are in the wrong.

## A THOUGHT

If it be of God, ye cannot overthrow it; least happy ye be found even to fight against God.—The Acts v 39.

The Divine mind is as visible in its full energy of operation on every lowly bank and mouldering stone as in the lifting of the pillars of heaven, and settling the foundation of the earth.—Ruskin.

## Loose Ends

Judge Rutherford is still on the air because it is free—a statesman consults a child oracle—we try to see where we have been going—and the big chief is compensated for a breach of honor.

By H. B. W.

## FREE AIR

THE CANADIAN Radio Commission has stopped Canadian radio stations broadcasting the weekly remarks of one Judge Rutherford, whose views are said to be "subversive." Never having listened to the eminent jurist I do not know whether his radio talk is subversive or just plain silly like a lot of the radio stuff that congests the ether these days. But the Canadian Radio Commission's treatment of the judge is illuminating in another way, for while his talk is barred in Canada, any Canadian who wants to hear him has only to turn his dial a point or two and tune in on a number of stations in the United States, a few miles away. Nothing that the Canadian Radio Commission can do will bar Judge Rutherford from Canada. Nothing it can do will stop the ceaseless huricane of bunks and blubs which is beaufouling the atmosphere just now.

Appointed by the great die-hard reactionary statesman, Herbert Hoover, to show you that such notions are not confined to wild fellows like me. And the really vital notion is just this: "Shall we drift and hope for the best, or shall we do something about it?" That is the question, the whole question and eventually you must stand on one side of it or the other. Our political parties, busy with their strawmen and dead horses, are just beginning to realize it faintly, oh, so faintly.

DEBT OF HONOR

GEORGE SOUTHWELL, the artist who is decorating some of the walls in the Parliament Buildings, has just completed a large panel showing Judge Begbie and the father of Attorney-General Pooley, administering justice in these parts sixty years ago.

Judge Begbie is standing up in the improvised courtroom at Clinton, looking very severely at a shame-faced Indian, Mr. Pooley is writing down the record of the case, and some other Indians and prospectors are standing about waiting for the verdict.

I thought the story of the picture was so charming that it should be printed on a tablet at the side.

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## VACANT LAND TAXES BEHIND

Survey of Arrears Shows Properties Hardest Hit in City.

Taxes levied for 1932 on approximately 27 per cent of the vacant property in Victoria were not paid on current accounts, it was revealed in a survey of tax arrears just completed by city taxation officials for Mayor Leeming.

The survey was ordered by the mayor to determine which classes of property owners are hardest hit by the economic depression. It may be the foundation for some change in the taxation policy of the city.

The figures on the vacant land arrears are the most outstanding, showing that out of 4,504 unimproved properties the 1932 levy of 1,677 have not been paid. This is out of 3,803 tax bills on all property which are not paid up, or slightly less than 50 per cent. The unimproved properties total 3,986.

Classified according to assessments, the survey reveals that the 2,126 unpaid accounts on improved properties included 1,500 with property assessed at \$2,500 or less. Of these 836 means that, outside of vacant land, the class of property with annual bills in the \$60 and \$70 range are finding the going hardest.

Approximately 20 per cent of the unpaid 1932 accounts on improved property are on places assessed at \$3,000 or more; the total number being 444, which included 185 properties where the improvements are over \$5,000.

Report of the survey will be presented by the tax department will be made by the mayor with a view to considering a possible policy designed to aid those unable to meet their accounts.

## RIFLE CLUB FOR FULFORD

Fulford Harbor, Jan. 21.—A well-attended meeting was held recently in the clubroom of the White Lodge for the purpose of forming what will be known as the Fulford Rifle Club, W. Y. Stewart, president.

Election of officers resulted as follows: P. O'Flynn, president; Gerald Hamilton, vice-president; Clifford Lee, secretary-treasurer, and F. Maxwell and Clifford Wakelin, committee. Twenty-three members were enrolled. The committee has selected a target-range on Captain Drummond's property at Fulford.

A meeting of the ratepayers of the Burgoine Bay school district was held January 12 in the schoolroom when a large number met to discuss the cut made in teachers' salaries. G. E. Aker, mayor presided. After discussion, it was voted to increase the tax rate for against making up the amount. After the motion had been voted on by ballot, it was defeated.

Mrs. Andrew J. Smith is visiting in Victoria where she is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. Scott Ritchie.

Miss Alice Whittaker of Ganges has been spending a week with relatives in New Westminster.

Mrs. D. S. Harris of Ganges, accompanied by her sons, Delmar and Keith, was a visitor in Victoria this week.

Robin Justice, Ganges, paid a short business visit to Victoria Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Fanning and child of Victoria have been recent visitors on Salt Spring Island, guests of Mrs. Fanning's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Elliott, Ganges.

L. H. Garnet has left for Cowichan after spending several weeks at Ganges.

## Ex-Service Reunion In Saanichton Hall

The ninth annual Ex-Service men's dinner under the auspices of the North Saanichton branch Canadian Legion, will take place at Saanichton Hall, Saanichton, January 27, at 7 p.m. The committee extends an invitation to all Ex-Service men of the district.

A splendid programme has been arranged and many popular concert singers have promised their assistance. Tickets may be had from the following members: W. Douglas, Nat Gray, Harold Blaikie, T. M. Hughes, Elmer John and W. Newton.

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## STUDENTS OF SIDNEY SCHOOL WIN ROTARY SEED CONTEST



For the second consecutive year Sidney school has won the Rotary Club's Cup for highest aggregate marks in the club's annual seed-growing contest. James Ramsay, principal of the school, has taken a great interest in the efforts of his students and is shown at the right of the picture.

Arthur Neaves, winner of the Mrs. R. P. Buchart Cup and first prize in the contest, is standing next to Mr. Ramsay. Young Neaves has won many awards for seeds. Since winning a Rotary Club prize in 1931, he took

first honors at the Provincial Seed Fair in Vancouver in 1932, won the 1932 Rotary contest and took first place in his class in the 1933 Seed Fair now in progress at the Crystal Garden.

Another competitor of special interest is Campbell Warrender, sitting beside the handsome Rotary Cup won by the school. Young Warrender took second place in the 1932 competition, although he is only eight and a half years old, his marks being only a trifle below that accorded Neaves.

Those shown in the above group

picture are as follows, reading from left to right: Rear row, Charlie West, Stephen Jackson (prizes 1931-32) Walter Wilson, Atwood Cochran and Bobby Dields; middle row, Jack Skinner, David Oldham, Albert Barker, Raymond Byers, and Arthur Neaves and Mr. Ramsay; front row, Grace King, Elsie Carmichael, Gwen Hollands (prize 1931), Victoria Clinton, Gwen Thompson (prize 1932), Helen Lodge, Gertrude Mironovitch, Mary Jackson and Gladys Morrel (prize 1932). Sitting by cup, Campbell Warrender (prize 1932).

## NOTES FROM UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

By JACK STANTON

Vancouver, January 21.—Typewriters clattered, telephones rang, and the news room of more than a dozen news papers was more than usually alive when the regular staff took time off to watch twenty-four student-journalists put out three of the four editions. The students were recruited from the staff of "Ubysey," bi-weekly university publications.

The "youngsters" were found in almost every department of the business and although members of the regular staff stood by in case of emergencies, they were not needed. Both the city and the news desks were in charge of senior students, while clubs were sent out on assignments. At the end of a busy and tiring day, students compared notes and reported many interesting events.

Dorothy Johnson, Vancouver, formerly of Victoria College and an honors English graduate, who is now taking a course in education, has won distinction in the letters club by being awarded a prize for the best original composition at the recent "original contributions" meeting. Miss Johnson is well known at Victoria College as a member of the literary society in 1929-30.

The U.B.C. letters club is an organization formed "for the study of literature as a joy." Its membership is limited to twenty-five and only those having a genuine love of literature can join. Throughout the year members present papers on various literary topics, and the club with the assistance of a professor, criticizes each paper. Once a year on "original contributions evening" members must hand in a piece of prose or poetry of their own composition, and these are read and judged by the club. Then the "poet-classics" and "prose-laurate" are announced and crowned with the proverbial laurel wreath.

Freshman bidding day in the fraternities is approaching, and some of the "pledges" can still be seen wandering at large on the campus. These young men, prospective members of Chi Omega, are required to wear dress suits every week, and they are conspicuous objects as they hurry to and from lectures.

The battalion will parade as follows—Monday, January 23, at the armories at 8 p.m.; dress, drill order.

Wednesday, January 26, at the armories at 8 p.m.; dress, optional.

Because the fraternity takes up a great deal of time, freshmen may not receive bids until they have passed their Christmas examinations, but they may be pledged any time after.

There follows a period of probation during which the initiate, along with the "pledge" becomes a member for life. Initiation ceremonies at U.B.C. fraternities are generally kept quiet, but they are rumored to have become less brutal than formerly. As a rule, however, they still put the new "frat-brother" through a still ceremony, from which he emerges a sadder but a wiser man.

Training under company arrangements—Monday, January 23, to 8 p.m. in platoon formation by officers for commanding: 8:15 to 8:45, "A" and "B" Cos., the rifle, aiming and firing indication of targets; "C" Cos., platoon drill; "D" Cos., M.G. training: 8:45 to 9:15, "A" and "B" Cos., platoon drill; "C" Cos., L.G. training; "D" Cos., M.G. training: 9:15 to 9:45, "A" and "B" Cos., L.G. training; "C" and "D" Cos., the rifle, aiming and firing, indication of targets. Thursday, January 26, specialists and recruits.

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Leaves of absence—The officer commanding has granted leave of absence to the undesignated. Lieut. L. Henderson, from 16-1-33 to 22-1-33; 444, C.R. Clark, 10-1-33 to 120, Pte. G. P. Morris, "C" Coy, 19-1-33 to 1174, 1214, L-Cpl. W. Sharpe, "A" Coy, 19-1-33 to 1160, Pte. J. C. Neibert, H.Q. Sig. 19-1-33; 1284, Pte. W. F. Gibbs, H.Q. Sig., 19-1-33; 1306, Pte. L. L. McKay, H.Q. Sig., 19-1-33.

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Under direction of A. E. White, the Chamber Symphony orchestra of the city gave a recital Thursday noon under the auspices of the Varsity Musical Society. Included in the programme was a selection from Humperdinck's opera "Hansel und Gretel" and in contrast two songs composed by Sir Edward Elgar. The entertainment was followed with a Beethoven overture, Leonore No. 3. The overture was "Fidelio."

This and similar noon-hour recitals on the campus are sponsored at regular intervals by the musical society, a student organization which presents an annual light opera as its chief activity.

Three of our very smartest numbers included—

**THE TIE OXFORD**, in black or brown suede, with the fashionable "Continental" heel.

**THE SPORTS PUMP**, particularly chic in black or brown suede with fringed calf; Cuban heels.

**THE PLAIN PUMP**, in black suede. A number of smart Kid Shoes of good "Regent" style with French heels.

—Women's Shoes, First Floor

## NORTH COWICHAN COUNCIL MEETS

Special to The Times

Duncan, Jan. 21.—The inaugural meeting of the municipal council of the corporation of the district of North Cowichan, held on Thursday at Duncan, reeve and councillors having subscribed to the necessary declaration, took their seats the reeve then congratulated the new council member, T. E. Ross.

The resolution dealing with the coal mining industry, sent in for endorsement from the city of Nanaimo, was ordered filed.

Reeve appointed committees as follows: Finance, Councillors Dunlop and Robson; roads, whole council; relief, reeve and Councillors Smiley and Evans; industrial, reeve and Councillor Smiley.

The following were appointed to represent the council on the board of directors at the Duncan and Chemainus hospitals respectively: Duncan hospital board, Councillor Dunlap; Chemainus hospital board, Councillor Smiley.

The Duncan hospital will be offered

the sum of \$1,600 for the year 1933, in lieu of seventy cents per day per patient from the municipality.

The whole council were appointed to act as a court of revision of the assessment roll for 1933, the said court to sit at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, February 8, at the Municipal Hall.

**"SALADA" TEA**  
"Fresh from the Gardens"

A twenty-six-foot shark weighing 3,000 pounds and locally known as "liver shark" was recently taken at Harbor DeLoutre, N.B. The huge fish, the first of its kind ever taken in Bay of Fundy waters, yielded 350 gallons of liver, and a great quantity of oil.

## ON SALE MONDAY

## Dresses

For Afternoon Wear

Values to \$12.95, for

**\$8.95**

A group of very choice fashionable Dresses, designed from good quality silks, including diagonal cords, pebble crepe, extra heavy crepe and flat crepe.

Several new styles to choose from and a variety of the latest shades. Sizes 14 to 42.

—Mantles, First Floor

## SUEDES

At Reduced Prices  
On Sale Monday at

**\$5.85**

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## COATINGS and DRESS GOODS

At Reduced Prices

54-inch Velour Coatings in a good range of colors, such as brown, fawn, mauve, Copenhagen, scarlet, purple and green. Values, a yard, \$2.95 to \$4.50, for **\$2.25**

Fur Fabrics for coatees and trimmings. Black and white, a yard ..... **\$3.95**  
In brown shade, a yard ..... **\$3.50**

36-inch Light-weight Tweeds, including homespuns, in neat patterns of medium blue and green. Regular, a yard, 98c, for .. **69c**

54-inch Plain Wool Fabric, a heavy-weight material suitable for coats, jackets, wraps or rugs. French blue and tan only. Regular, a yard, \$2.75, for .. **\$1.79**

36-inch Wool Knop Crepe, light-weight, for smart spring dresses. Burnt orange, yellow, scarlet and new blue. Regular, a yard, ..... **\$89c**

54-inch Wool Jersey Knit, suitable for dresses and skirts. Brown, tan, scarlet, mauve and green. A yard ..... **\$1.49**

—Dress Goods, Main Floor

## Thrill Brassieres, \$1.00

Perfect-fitting Brassieres with elastic strap across back and non-slip shoulder straps. Uplift styles, in net, pink lace and heavy silk. Each ..... **\$1.00**

—Corsets, First Floor

## Crocus Non-shrink Wool Special, 1-oz.

# NEWS OF CITY AND SUBURBAN CHURCHES

## CONTRASTING TYPES VIEWED

Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell to Deal With Different Religious Characters

At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church to-morrow, the minister, Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell, B.A., will officiate at both services, and will preach on two contrasting types of religion, one of which the reader is to be found in the Book of Numbers. In the morning the subject will be "The Religion of Caleb" (Numbers xiv, 24), and in the evening, "The Religion of Balaam" (II Peter II, 15).

On Thursday evening the annual meeting of the congregation will be held at the rectory at 8 o'clock.

The music for the services on Sunday day will be as follows: In the morning the soloist will be Mrs. R. D. Travis, who will sing "The Penitent"; a composition of Van de Water. The choir will sing Vine Hall's anthem "Angel Voices Ever Singing".

In the evening Arnold W. Trevett will sing "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" by Gounod. The evening anthem will be "Through the Day Thy Love Hath Spared Us" by Naylor.

## KNOX CHURCH MEETING HELD

Many Departments Report Progress at Annual Congregation Meeting

The annual congregational meeting of Knox Presbyterian Church will be held on Thursday at 8 o'clock, with Rev. J. S. Patterson presiding over one of the largest congregational meetings for many years.

W. C. Wilson was elected secretary for the meeting. After the opening devotions reports were read and adopted from the session, board of missions, ladies' aid, choir, Young People's Society, Sunday school, Canadian Girls in Training, Trail Rangers, cadet corps, W.M.S., Auxiliary and mission band.

Favorable comment was made on the steady growth of the Young People's Society and the earnest devotion to the advancement of the church. The ladies' aid and the missionary givings also were commended.

A vote of thanks was given Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Patterson for their leadership and interest in the organizations. Mr. Patterson thanked the congregation for generous cooperation during the year.

The board of managers elected was: W. G. Wilson, A. Coutts, R. H. Scoble, Ed. McIntyre, Miss J. Sutherland and Mrs. W. Wiltsland. D. M. Sutherland was appointed auditor.

The attention of the congregation was drawn to the Thursday evening prayer meetings and to the new Bible class on Sundays at 4:45 p.m.

The annual Burns concert will be held on Tuesday at 8 o'clock.

## BIBLE'S VALUE AT CENTENNIAL

Rev. J. C. Switzer Will Discuss "Peace, Progress and Power"

At Centennial United Church to-morrow, Rev. J. C. Switzer will take as his morning sermon theme, "The National Value of the Bible." He will offer as proof, the testimonies and lives of many great men, and the progress of nations to whom it is an open book.

The afternoon service will be "Peace, Progress and Power."

At the morning service the choir will render the anthem, "Jesus Lover of My Soul" Rutenber, with solo part by Miss Janet Hayes. The evening anthem will be, "Save Us, O Lord," by Bairstow.

### GUILD OF HEALTH

The Guild of Health will meet in the Memorial Hall on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Ven. Archdeacon Leycock will address the meeting.

## Anglican Services

### Christ Church Cathedral

Third Sunday After Epiphany  
Holy Communion—8 and 9:30 a.m.  
Matins—11 o'clock

Preacher—The Bishop of Columbia

Evenings—7:30 o'clock

Preacher, Sabin J. Nelson—Christananda

Subject—India and Christ

Church School—Senior, 9:45 o'clock

Junior—11 o'clock

St. John's Church

8 o'clock—Holy Communion  
Morning Prayer; preacher, the Rector.

7:30 o'clock—Evensong; preacher, the Rector.

Organ Recital by Mr. G. J. Burnett, 7:10 to 7:30 o'clock.

Sunday School and A.Y.P.A. Bible Class at 8 a.m.

Reverend Canon F. A. P. Chadwick, M.A.

### St. Mary's Church

Elgin Road, Oak Bay No. 1 Car

Holy Communion—8 o'clock

Matins and Sermon—11 o'clock

Evensong and Sermon—7 o'clock

Sunday School—Senior, 9:45 a.m.

Junior—11 a.m.

Holy Communion—Thursday, 10:30 a.m.

Monday, January 23—Annual Meeting of Parochialists.

Rector:

Canon Rev. A. E. de Nuns.

## OFFERS KEY TO REVELATIONS

Pastor N. C. Erinston of the Seventh-day Adventist Church will speak to-morrow on "The Rise and Work of the Largest Christian Organization in the World." He will quote the prophet Daniel's forecast as to how it would arise and the very year.

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## HONESTY AT METROPOLITAN

Rev. E. F. Church Offers Second Study of Oxford Group Movement

Rev. E. F. Church will preach in the Metropolitan Church to-morrow on "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" by Gounod. The evening anthem will be "Through the Day Thy Love Hath Spared Us" by Naylor.

The Sunday school and Bible classes will meet. The "Go-ahead" Bible Class invites adults. The minister's class for young people will study "Faith and Service".

At 7:15 o'clock in the evening there will be a brief service of song and at 7:30 o'clock Dr. Henry will speak on a vital and practical theme "Deserted Enthusiasm," which is of great interest especially to the young, who are cordially invited to be present.

Miss G. Lang will sing "Hear Ye the Voice of Jesus Said" (Bothwell) and the choir will sing the air "The Lord is My Shepherd" (Macfadden).

Next Thursday afternoon and evening the Women's Association will hold an "At Home" at the manse, 220 Moss Street. The congregation and the friends of the church will be cordially welcomed. The young people are specially invited for the evening.

The twilight service will be held at 3 o'clock, and at 7 the pastor will conduct a half hour of song with favorite old hymns. This is becoming a popular feature of the Sunday services in the Metropolitan, and many gather early to enjoy this very happy sing-song.

The theme for the evening address will be "Can a Man Be Absolutely Honest?"

There is a second sermon on the theme "Save Us O Lord" (Bairstow).

W. Stokes will sing "More Love to Thee O Christ" (Lillian Sheldon).

On Monday evening the young people will hear brief papers by four members, on outstanding men of to-day and their influence on modern society. Young people not connected with other groups are invited to attend.

## PENTECOSTAL EVANGELIST

Woman Preacher Will Lead Assembly Meetings

A slight change in the schedule of the Victoria Pentecostal Assembly meetings has been made. Mrs. Riediger will not speak on Monday evenings as formerly announced, but each Saturday afternoon the evangelist will conduct a special children's service at 6 o'clock. Parents are invited to accompany their children and share this extra treat.

On Sunday evening the service will be evangelistic. Mrs. Riediger formerly worked with the Salvation Army and her relatives, the Shannons of Ireland, entertained in their spacious home some of the old-time officers of that movement.

The Gospel singing and music will start Sunday evening at 7:15 o'clock and 8 o'clock on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. Mrs. Riediger and the musicians would be glad to assist in any afternoon meetings at any gathering. The services are free and would be joyfully given.

## ENCOURAGEMENT BAPTIST THEME

Rev. J. B. Rowell to Speak on Present Perplexities Tomorrow

"Doubts in Dark Days, the Divine Encouragement. Amid Present Perplexities, Does God Care?" will be the title subject at the Central Baptist Church on Saturday evening at 7:30 p.m. The Rev. J. B. Rowell, will speak on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

At the morning service the pastor will continue the series on the "Tabernacle in the Wilderness," the theme being "The Holiness of the Veil."

The Sunday school will meet at 9:45 o'clock in the morning. The adult Bible class extends cordial invitation to all who are interested in the study of the great Biblical truths which are proving helpful to so many. The annual church business meeting will be on Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock; the prayer meeting on Thursday at 8 o'clock; the lantern for boys and girls on Friday at 7 o'clock, and the B.Y.P.U. will meet on Friday at 8 o'clock.

Rev. T. H. Nuttall Will Speak on "Great Souls of God"

The message on Sunday at Victoria West United Church will be given by Rev. T. H. Nuttall, M.A., B.D., and at the morning service the pastor will present "Matters for Time of Crisis." The text will be "The Removing of Those Things That Are Shaken." The first half hour will be for young folk and the talk will be entitled, "Never Be Ashamed of Your Own Name."

In the evening the second of the series on "Great Souls of God" will be presented. There will be good music by both junior and senior choirs.

Old and new friends are invited to the annual congregational meeting on Monday evening.

## PASTOR VIEWS SILVER LINING

Dr. Wilson to Speak on "Rift in the Cloud" at First United

"A Rift in the Cloud" will be the theme of Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., at the morning service tomorrow in First United Church.

In the evening Rev. E. G. Gray will preach on "Showing Your Colors."

The choir will offer special music at both services.

The congregational business meeting will be held on Wednesday evening, when annual reports will be presented and plans for the future announced. There will be a social after the business.

The services of The Radio Fellowship over CFCFT are attracting wide attention and the Christmas presentation was heard in England. Requests have been received from Prof. Baker's lecture on "The Radio in Today's World," the first radio lecture in Victoria, which was given under the auspices of Dr. Clem Davies some years ago.

"Someone to Love" will be the subject for to-morrow at 3 o'clock over CFCFT. The miracle of love, its healing, inspiring and transforming power in healing disease, changing lives and conditions will be depicted.

Services to-morrow at the Spiritual Science Temple, 106 Douglas Street, will be at 3 o'clock and 7:30 o'clock. Prof. J. Blackett will speak and Mrs. McDermott will give messages.

## DR. HENRY TO SPEAK TWICE

Will Give Two Sermons Tomorrow at Fairfield Church; Attractive Music Arranged

The lecture will be illustrated on a chart, and the prophet's prophecies at each point will be noted. Mr. Erinston says this lecture is the key to understanding the Book of Revelation. Lectures on the Book of Revelation will follow.

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## CHURCH WORK IS REVIEWED

Rev. J. P. Westman Presided  
Over Annual Meeting of  
Ganges United Church

Ganges, Jan. 21.—The annual meeting of the United Church at Ganges was held at Ganges House, January 13 with the pastor, Rev. J. P. Westman, in the chair.

For the occasion the ladies of the church and their friends, about fifty were present, including representatives from the other appointments of Beaver Point, Burgoine and North Salt Spring.

Reports of the year's work for 1932 were presented by Mrs. Mouat on behalf of the ladies aid, Mr. Parsons on the work of the Sunday School, Canadian Mount for the young people's mission and Trail Rangers and Miss Manson for the Bible class. Mrs. Westman gave an encouraging report on the activities of the C.G.I.T. at Fulford Harbor.

The financial report of the church on Salt Spring was presented by the secretary of the board of trustees, W. M. Mouat. This report showed that in spite of difficult times actually more money had been raised for church purposes than for the previous year.

A great deal of credit was due the ladies aid for their splendid work in raising money for the special funds of the church.

Officials for Ganges church were elected as follows: Members of the session, Mrs. W. M. Mouat, Messrs. S. Newman and E. Parsons; board of stewards, Mrs. J. Mouat, Messrs. E. Parsons, D. Winstrop, R. Toyneby, W. M. Mouat and Dr. Rusch.

The pastor gave an inspiring and helpful address on the work of the church at the various appointments and outlined what he thought should be the objectives of the church for the year. A suitable response was made by Rev. Geo. W. Dean.

## MANY QUESTIONS AT NEW THOUGHT

Louis A. Winner Will Review  
Variety of Problems To-  
morrow Evening

Why Did God Make Division of  
the Species? "The Influence of  
Thought" will speak to-morrow.

The meeting will be open to all interested in getting a better understanding of creeds.

## REDUCE DEBT ON ST. AIDAN'S

The annual congregational meeting of St. Aidan's United Church was held on Thursday evening with a good number present. Rev. H. J. Armitage occupied the chair and Frank Jennings was appointed secretary. Reports were presented by the various departments.

It was at Mission San Gabriel, on August 26, 1781, that Governor Neve issued his orders for founding the pueblo of Los Angeles. In 1784 Father Junipero Serra, founder of California's missions, became seriously ill at San Gabriel and was taken north, where he died.

On Sunday morning Mr. Winner will lecture upon "The Formative Power of Thought." George Palmer will sing, "Babyon," and in the evening Madame Scott-Burritt will render, "I sought the Lord," by Dickens.

Sunday school will be at 11 o'clock in the small hall, under the direction of Mrs. E. C. Head.

The Dramatic Club on Monday evening will continue diaphragm development exercises and rehearsals. On Tuesday evening the Three H Club will study the Holy Land, the work of the Master, ancient symbology and Bible interpretations.

The Health Club on Wednesday at 7.30 o'clock, will discuss "The Use of Aluminum," and at 8 o'clock Mr. Winner will discuss "The Sermon on the Mount." The Troward Class will meet on Thursday at 8 o'clock, and on Friday evening, at the Fireside Silence, a new method of divine healing will be practiced.

A new feature of the Temple's activities began on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock when a healing service was held. This service will be held weekly and will be entirely devotional. It will continue for an hour and be open to the public.

## "Lord's Amusement" At Unity Centre

A Unity Centre to-morrow morning will have a lecture on "The Amusement of the Lord." At the evening meeting at 7.30 his topic will be "Words, Wise or Unwise." There will be a solo by Mrs. S. Herring.

Mr. Westman's subjects during the week will be as follows: Wednesday, 8 p.m. "The Good Servant But Bad Master"; Thursday, 3 p.m., a devotional meeting; Friday, 8 p.m., "Fundamentals of Truth."

## JESUS FORGIVING SIN

By WM. E. GILROY, D.D.

If there was amazement at the teaching that the carpenter gave to his fellow townsmen, the fame of this new and wonderful teacher must have spread very rapidly, so that wherever he spoke crowds gathered round to hear him, and if he happened to be speaking in house or synagogue, those who gathered to hear were so many that the building could not contain them, nor could they even get near the door.

This was the case in Capernaum, where the events of our lesson took place. With the fame of the teaching of Jesus had gone the story of his wonder-working power, and sick people were brought to him to be healed. The important thing about this lesson, however, was not that Jesus healed the sick, but some spiritual influence or power; it was the message of peace and forgiveness that he dared to utter.

The healing of disease and the removal of physical defects, through miracles, or spiritual power, is a problem that deeply concerns the minds of men even in this scientific age. The acutely minded scoff at the possibility of such a thing, and yet it must be evident to all thinking people that there is a certain power of mind over matter, and a spiritual influence that has physical effects upon health and strength.

Careful scientific investigation of the phenomena of mental and spiritual healing, it is true, usually dissipates many extreme claims. It will be found, however, that the diagnosis was not accurate and that what was represented as serious or organic disease was some functional trouble, or it will be found, in many instances, that the supposed healing has been rather

## EXCLAMATION AT GRAVESIDE TOPIC

"An Exclamation at the Graveside" is the subject of to-morrow morning's sermon by Rev. M. S. Richardson in Emmanuel Baptist Church.

"A Strange Providence" is the theme of the evening sermon.

The anthems for the day will be: Morning, "Turn Thy Face From My Sins"; Evening, "How Lovely Are the Messengers," Mendelssohn.

## BAPTIST UNION NAME OFFICERS

Rev. G. A. Reynolds Among  
Western Canada Vice-  
Presidents

Edmonton, Jan. 21.—At the concluding session of the Western Canada Baptist Union here yesterday evening, Dr. W. G. Carpenter of Calgary was elected president.

Other officers elected were: Vice-  
presidents, Rev. James Hind, Moose  
Jaw, Rev. George Batho, Winnipeg, and  
Rev. George A. Reynolds, Victoria; general  
secretary, Rev. W. C. Smalley, Edmonton; treasurer, Capt. J. C. Bowen, Edmonton; recording secretary, Rev. A. W. Ward, Vancouver.

## LECTURERS WILL EXPLAIN CREDENTS

Series of Addresses to Be  
Given at Y.W.C.A.

Young men and women who last year attended the Young People's Forum at the Y.W.C.A. were anxious that it be followed with a series of comparative talks on creeds. Accordingly it has been arranged that a representative from the various creeds will give talk each Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Y.W.C.A.

Mrs. Alan Gardner will act as chairman throughout the series. There will be special music and it is hoped that each Sunday a soloist may be arranged for who will be a member of the creed represented that day.

Other points to be discussed will include: "The Three-headed God of the machine-mind and its dangers to the individual and to society"; "How much do we sacrifice in the minds of our fellow?" Who fixes our price in the world?" "Institutions and individuals"; "Predestination," and "What happens when we die?"

On Sunday morning Mr. Winner will lecture upon "The Formative Power of Thought." George Palmer will sing, "Babyon," and in the evening Madame Scott-Burritt will render, "I sought the Lord," by Dickens.

The pastor gave an inspiring and helpful address on the work of the church at the various appointments and outlined what he thought should be the objectives of the church for the year. A suitable response was made by Rev. Geo. W. Dean.

## MISSION SAN GABRIEL HAS COLORFUL HISTORY

Built by Indian Converts Six Years Before American  
Revolution, California Shrine Was Rendezvous  
for Spanish Colonizing Parties



Erected by Indian converts under guidance of Spanish priests, Mission San Gabriel has played a colorful role in California's early history.

## BISHOP FINDS POEM INSPIRED

Processional 1933" Strikes  
Exact Note People Need,  
He Declares

New York, Jan. 21.—Bishop William T. Manning was so impressed by a poem entitled "Processional 1933," just written by Leigh Mitchell Hodges and published, that the Bishop read it from the pulpit of the cathedral of St. John the Divine as his "New Year's Message to the Congregation."

"The inspired vision and message of the true poet are the people's greatest need of the moment," the Bishop declared at his home in Brooklyn. "Poetry and other great art have been for some time under eclipse. I believe the poem 'Processional 1933' will strike exactly that note which we now need to hear in the hearts of our people all over the country."

The poem is as follows:

Lord of the light unfolding  
From day to robes of dawn:  
The world's prodigies,  
Master of hope, and builder  
Of life's immortal span,  
Nestling in the shelter, Thunder assau to man.

Out of the hundred nations  
On which our nation stands;  
The toil and tribulations  
Of many times and lands,  
Gives us the strength to stand,  
The dauntlessness to stay  
This shoot of indecision  
That holds the sun at bay.

Who have weathered often  
Abandonments of dreams,  
Turn from the paths that soften  
Darins that redeems  
Strike from the holy tider,  
Whose sweep no fear can binder,  
Whale man to their aspires.

Wake in our hearts the courage  
That pioneered the wild:  
Soul to its swift demurage  
For primal life's desire  
Sedulous dreams that swallowed  
With sordidness our deuds:  
By the hand of the sainted,  
A horde of phantom needs.

As when, to Bethlehem sleeping,  
The hosts of Heaven descend,  
A balm for want and weeping,  
Let now the earthways ring  
All valiantly to stand,  
Of doubt's juddering wrath:  
Of bravely's new massing,  
"O ye of little faith!"

## NEW TREATMENT FOR PNEUMONIA

By F. B. COLTON  
Associated Press Science Writer

Washington, Jan. 21.—A new treatment for pneumonia has been developed by a team of medical experts.

Old registers, kept by the Spanish mission, show that in most cases, was over treatment of Indian women. In one fight at San Gabriel, eighty-five Indians and ten soldiers were slain.

On another occasion, in 1777, a large band of Indians marched upon the mission to avenge some outrage committed by soldiers.

A battle was averted, however, when the padres met them with a shining cross and the Indians stopped weeping at their feet.

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Indian Philosopher Addresses

Diocesan Board at January Meeting

The Y.P.S. Christian Endeavor of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church held a very successful concert in the lecture room of the church. The young people planned in this way to aid the Esquimalt Royal Sunday School which is a branch of St. Paul's Sunday School.

Rev. G. E. Cook, pastor of the church, T. Humphries, Sunday School superintendent, being called upon to give a few words, responded with a short recitation. The programme was given by members of the Christian Endeavor, with the kind assistance of Mrs. Violet Bertucci, J. R. MacKenzie and Master Jim Young, those taking part being: F. Arms, Miss Jean McGowan, Miss Dorothy Humphries, A. and S. St. James Youne, Miss Mary Irving, J. H. MacKenzie, Rev. G. F. Cox, Miss Margaret Dickson, Mrs. A. Kent, R. Trowdale, Misses Annie McMillan, Mary Irving, Jean Sloan and Miss Evelyn Dawson.

Tea was served to the artists at the close of the concert by the social committee. Miss H. Templeton, Miss M. Scott and J. Marrs.

ROYAL OAK

The 500 party of the Royal Oak Women's Institute was held in the community hall Thursday evening.

Mrs. Ley, Mrs. Mead-Robins, Mrs. P. D. and Mrs. Phillips were hostesses.

First prizes were given by Miss A. Longworth and Gilbert MacKenzie, second prizes by Mrs. Osgood and Mr. Paults, and third prizes by Miss Oldfield and Mrs. Wilkinson.

An annual meeting of the council was appointed, Mrs. Heathcote, Mrs. Lipson and Miss Nicols, who will send out ballot papers immediately.

The decision as to whether or not an annual meeting of the diocesan board should be held this year was overwhelmingly in favor of having the annual meeting for the usual four days in March, including the annual meetings of the girls' and boys' junior branches. The date of the annual committee was appointed, Mrs. Heathcote, Mrs. Lipson and Miss Nicols, who will send out ballot papers immediately.

Mrs. F. M. Norrish, Beverley Apartments, Yates Street, was appointed convener of hospitality to delegates.

In view of the possibility of several ministrants being available to address meetings, it was decided that the diocesan annual meeting was not definitely decided upon until further information is received, but the February board meeting was arranged for the usual date, the place of the meeting to be announced later.

The delegates who will represent Columbia W.A. at the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women this month were Mrs. George Kirk, Mrs. Harper, Mrs. Heatherbell and Mrs. Colin Cummings.

The report of the diocesan treasurer, Mrs. J. R. Hartley, aroused much interest in discussion and the meeting ended with a tea and food sale some time next month to complete the memoriam window fund before the annual meeting. The convener appointed were Mrs. Cannon and Mrs. Benwell, who will act with a convener from each parochial branch.

**APPEAL FOR RECTOR**

The report of the Christmas bales sent out to the Columbia Coast and other missions was given by the Dorcas Society. Miss Sill, who thanked the bakers for the splendid response made to their appeal, also thanked all the generous friends who responded so promptly to her appeal for clothing for the family of the rector at Parksville, who lost all their possessions in a disastrous fire last month, including their home.

The new director, Reginald Hincks, was introduced to the company. It was decided that rehearsals for the opera would start on January 31. It is expected to have it ready for production early in April.

The society hopes, at the close of the season, to have a substantial amount of money over to some city charity, despite the fact that the finances of the society were seriously drained to cover the losses of \$371 on the Christmas Pantomime Revue.

**SAUDH SPEAKS**

Lady Lake expressed the pleasure felt by all that Rev. Canon Chadwick was able to be present to read the annual hour prayers, the address being given by Mrs. Sill. Mrs. Nelson Christopher, who very kindly spared time to attend the meeting. In doing so, spiritual address the Sadhu said how only a soul who has found Christ within himself can convey that experience to another. Many desire to benefit from the material advantages that the Christian religion offers, such as medical relief and education, without first surrendering the soul to the teaching of Jesus, the speaker urged.

In reply to a question the Sadhu said that it is only in the Christian religion that true happiness and real joy can be found.

The speaker at the afternoon session was Albin Cunneen, whose subject was a practical application of the teaching of Christ. "By love serve one another."

Mrs. George Kirk led the intercessions at the afternoon session, with special prayers for India andzena and other work among women. Mrs. Masterson expressed the thanks of the board for the kind hospitality provided by St. John's branch.

**FOUNDER'S BIRTHDAY**—Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1 will meet on Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. The meeting will take the form of a social get-together in the home of Thomas Wilder, founder of Oddfellowship. A musical programme will be rendered by well-known artists, and refreshments will be served.

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## PERSONAL

Miss Ruth Tryon, who has been visiting in Victoria as the guest of Miss Patsy Heming, Bastion Street, has returned home after attending the Edgett-Spencer wedding in Vancouver. While in Vancouver Miss Mitchell was the guest of Colonel and Mrs. Nelson Spencer.

Capt. and Mrs. C. D. Neroufous, Joan Crescent, have returned to their home in Victoria from Vancouver where they went to say farewell to their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Cyril Neroufous of Montreal and their grandchild, Masters John and George Neroufous, who have left for their home in Montreal after visiting in Vancouver with Mrs. Cyril Neroufous' mother, Mrs. G. Winter.

Mrs. W. G. Crawford and Miss Helen Crawford, Despard Avenue, left this afternoon for Vancouver to spend the week-end on the mainland as the guests of their home up the Island.

Mrs. Wynne Eland of Edmonton, who is visiting in Victoria with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Nobbs, Montreal Street, left this afternoon for Vancouver to spend the week-end on the mainland as the guest of friend.

Mrs. S. J. Wallbridge of Vancouver, who has been spending the last week in Victoria as the guest of Miss Dawson, St. Charles Street, returned this afternoon to her home on the mainland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Turnbull of Winsor, who are visitors in Victoria at the moment, have arrived to spend a month here and are guests at the Winters Hotel.

Reminiscences of classmate days in the Jubilee Hospital training school of twenty years ago, amused the guests at the dinner party given in their honor by Mrs. J. Langford, and Mrs. J. Carruthers at Mrs. Carruthers' home on Langford Street yesterday evening. The affair was arranged in honor of Mrs. W. A. Chambers, who is leaving shortly for Vancouver to reside, and her fellow-members of the hospital staff, who were among the guests. Bridge was played, the last part of the evening being given over to an interchange of reminiscence and the displaying of old photographs recalling hospital associations.

Mrs. J. V. Paults entertained at a delightful tea at her home on Moss Street yesterday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. W. A. Chambers, Oliver Street, whose impending departure for Winsor, Ontario, was announced by Mrs. Daniel's orchestra. Refreshments were served to about 180 guests, representing the following branches: Christ Church Cathedral, St. John's, St. Paul's, St. Mark's, St. Columba, St. Alban's, St. Mary's, and St. Paul's.

The wedding took place yesterday at St. Stephen's Church, Mount Newton, of Frances Hilda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jones, Mount Newton, and Edward Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mater. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. S. A. Bastin.

St. Mary's Parish Hall, Oak Bay, was the scene of a very successful "At Home" on Wednesday evening, when St. Mary's branch of the A.Y.P.A. entertained the members of their fellow branches. The evening was spent by Mrs. Daniel's orchestra. Refreshments were served to about 180 guests, representing the following branches: Christ Church Cathedral, St. John's, St. Paul's, St. Mark's, St. Columba, St. Alban's, St. Mary's, and St. Paul's.

Of interest to local friends of the bridegroom is the following item from the Livermore, Cal., "The marriage ceremony which united Miss Jessie M. Gerdon and Oswald G. Taylor, well-known Livermore young couple, was held December 29 at Las Vegas, Nev., in the ceremony was performed by Judge Orr. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Gerdon of Las Vegas, formerly of Livermore. She is a native of Sedro-Woolley, Washington, and a graduate of the San Jose high school and nursing school of the St. Francis Hospital of San Francisco. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Taylor of San Francisco. He was a member of the faculty of the Livermore grammar school for the past two years. He is a native of Victoria, British Columbia, and a graduate of the Victoria high school. Provincial Normal School of that city and the San Jose State Teachers' College, and Mrs. Taylor spent their honeymoon in Nevada and southern California before returning here Tuesday of last week.

The Misses Catherine and Frances Paults, accompanied by Mr. Wolfe Hicks, today for Nanaimo en route for Clatskanie, B.C., where they will join Miss Margie Fraser and Mrs. Hicks, who are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Doyle. After spending the week-end as Mrs. Doyle's guests, the whole party will return to Victoria Monday.

Mrs. J. Campbell Reynolds, St. Lake Hill, entertained the Women's Auxiliary Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion, at her home on Wednesday evening. There were four tables for Misses Smith winning first prize, Mrs. Morris second, and Mrs. Ripley, third. Refreshments were served. The tables were attractively arranged with flowers and greenery, and the guests enjoyed a pleasant evening.

The many Victoria friends of Mr. J. Seitz, Dominion president of the Underwood Typewriter Co., who is a frequent visitor here, will be interested to learn that Mr. Ernest Seitz, pianist, who will arrive here to-morrow to give a recital, is his son.

Under the auspices of the Hollywood Ladies' Aid a very successful bridge tea was held at the home of Mrs. J. Kyle, Wildwood Avenue, Thursday afternoon. The tea party was headed by Mrs. D. Hayes, who presided at the tea table. The next meeting of this group will be held at the home of Miss Hall, "Innisdown," the Uplands, on February 3. Among those present yesterday were Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Mrs. S. L. Howe, Mrs. Thorpe-Douglas, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mrs. F. W. Miller, Mrs. George Brown, Mrs. W. C. Nichol, Mrs. George Brown, Miss Hall, Mrs. Arthur Walsh, Mrs. J. Hallcross, Mrs. J. G. Cameron, Mrs. H. M. Archibald, Mrs. E. H. King, Miss Bruce, the Misses Bradshaw and others.

The fortnightly meeting of L'Alliance Francaise, held at the home of Mrs. D. A. Stanier, 1545 Richmond Avenue, was the occasion of a presentation of flowers and a charming little gift to Mrs. L. E. Allard, who was the mother of the bride.

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"Left Bank" by Elmer Rice, was the play read by Mrs. Guy Goddard before the Friday night meeting of the Victoria Reading Club at the home of Mrs. E. C. Hayward, yesterday afternoon. During the tea hour the host was entertained by his daughter, Mrs. Peter Bell, who presided at the tea table. The next meeting of this group will be held at the home of Miss Hall, "Innisdown," the Uplands, on February 3. Among those present yesterday were Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Mrs. S. L. Howe, Mrs. Thorpe-Douglas, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mrs. F. W. Miller, Mrs. George Brown, Mrs. W. C. Nichol, Mrs. George Brown, Miss Hall, Mrs. Arthur Walsh, Mrs. J. Hallcross, Mrs. J. G. Cameron, Mrs. H. M. Archibald, Mrs. E. H. King, Miss Bruce, the Misses Bradshaw and others.

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Refreshments were served. The tables were attractively arranged with flowers and greenery, and the guests enjoyed a pleasant evening.

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PIANO RECITALErnest Seitz Chooses Fine  
Programme For Monday  
Evening

At this recital to be given at the Empress Hotel on Monday evening at 8:30 o'clock, Ernest Seitz, noted pianist, will present the following programme: Schumann—Etudes Symphoniques; Delibes—"La Cathédrale Engloutie"; "Minstrels"; "Soirée dans Grenade"; "Goliwog's Op. 49, Etude Op. 25, No. 5; Grand Valse Op. 42; Ireland—"The Island Spel"; Scott—"Vesperal"; "Danse Negre"; Bridge—"Rosemary"; Torké—Toccata from Suite Op. 38.

IS ENGAGED  
CHURCHWOMEN TO HELP  
REPLACE MISSING FUNDS

Toronto, Jan. 21.—Announcement was made to-day that Anglican women throughout Canada will be asked to raise the sum of \$100,000 as their share of the \$760,000 required to replace in full the lost endowments of the northern missionary diocese and the beneficiary funds of the province of Rupert's Land of the Church of England in Canada. An objective of \$50,000 has been set for Sunday schools, the Anglican Young People's Association, church schools and colleges and other junior branches of church activity. The Dominion A.Y.P.A. has undertaken to raise \$20,000 of this amount.

C. B. Veterans'  
Auxiliary Has  
Annual Session

The annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Tuberculous Veterans was held at the home of the secretary, Mrs. R. V. Campbell, 1716 Fort Street, Thursday afternoon. The secretary's annual report showed the auxiliary to be in a very good financial standing and in a very good social way, there being a membership of twenty-eight at the present time, two new members joining at the January meeting. The report of the recent banquet given to the men's branch was made and the auxiliary expressed thanks to the men who made possible such splendid concert, and to Miss Thain for the music for dancing.

Three presentations were made to the president, Mrs. W. H. Booth, to the secretary and to Mrs. Standerwick, for which suitable response was made. The officers for the year are as follows: Mrs. W. H. Booth, president; Mrs. Ashworth, first vice-president; Mrs. D. W. Burnett, second vice-president; Mrs. Standerwick, treasurer; Mrs. Campbell, secretary; ways and means committee—Mrs. Jenny Burnett; committee—Mrs. Fournier; committee—Mrs. Cave.

A silver tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Standerwick on Saturday, January 13, in the form of a birthday tea under the chairmanship of Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Ashworth, Mrs. Creasie and Mrs. Adams, whose birthdays are being celebrated. Anyone interested will be welcomed to help on the work of the Tuberculous Veterans' Association.

Your Baby  
and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

CHILD STUDY GROUPS DO NOT  
NEED TRAINED LEADERS

In every community an increasing number of mothers are finding themselves together in order to discuss the problems relating to children. Some of these groups are affiliated with churches or with schools; many of them consist only of interested mothers whose incomes and social levels and ages of children are similar as to give rise to similar problems.

OTHERS TIMID  
I find mothers exceedingly timid about initiating, or joining such groups. They are fearful of displaying their ignorance in the group discussion. They feel they must have a trained leader who will tell them whether their conclusions are good or bad.

A trained leader, not one armed with a bundle of answers but one who has the ability to lead a discussion so that brings some results, is undeniably needed. But in a group, even with a leader, an hour's frank discussion of any given subject may be beneficial to those entering into it, simply its inevitable clarification of the subject.

TTING UNDER WAY  
We learn more than we know by airing over and over what people do out this, and that the other thing, a discussion about children. Mrs. says: "I did this and it worked." S. B. says: "Oh, it didn't work with me. It made my boy mope."

Someone else sides with Mrs. B. so it goes until all the mothers are convinced by the evidence of experience that a particular question is desirable or undesirable. It is then open to read individually and collectively about this particular phase of child behavior to discover why certain parental attitudes are desirable and whether authorities voice the same conclusions at which the group has arrived through discussion.

CK TO FUNDAMENTALS  
It is unimportant which phase of child care earns the initial attention of a group. Some want to start talking out bad habits, some about obedience, etc. But when the discussion starts it is immediately obvious that all roads lead back to the fundamentals of child care, good feeding, good health habits, desirable parental attitudes. These are bound up closely with all misbehavior situations that they are inextricable.

THIS DEPARTMENT HAS COMPILED A "SOURCES OF MATERIAL ON CHILD CARE" which is available to any group who would like to affiliate with larger groups in order to obtain help, suggestions, and reading lists. A self-addressed, stamped envelope, accompanying each request, will bring this leaflet to any reader.

Mothers who are interested in starting a study group should feel assured at neither a trained leader nor any particular knowledge about children is essential for a start. Interest, the desire to learn, and a general open-minded attitude toward the sole subject of child study will be the most valuable assets of any group.

Victoria Women's  
Institute Names  
Committee Heads

A well attended meeting of the Victoria Women's Institute was held in Burns Hall yesterday afternoon with the president, Mrs. N. E. Fairweather, in the chair. A standing vote of sympathy was moved in respect to the recent death of Mrs. F. Tolmie, Mrs. M. Pease, the vice-president, of Minnedosa, was cordially welcomed. The following appointments were made: Legislation, Mrs. J. L. White; library, Mrs. J. A. Coleman; Education, Mrs. J. Wilkins; immigrants, Mrs. N. E. Fairweather; domestic science, Mrs. D. Gordon; work and hobbies, Mrs. E. Loximer; Mrs. D. Gordon; Mrs. J. L. White; Mrs. B. W. Godsal delighted the members with a very interesting talk on the

Achieves Ambition To Become  
Conductor Symphony Orchestra

ANTONIA BRICO

BY HELEN WELSHIMER  
New York—Occasionally a small girl grows up and finds that she was right and everybody else was wrong.

That is what has happened to Antonia Brico. When she was ten years old she made up her mind that she would lead the Musicians' Symphony Orchestra at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York City. Everybody told her that she never could do it. Women simply did not.

But she has received the signal honor of being the first woman ever granted the privilege of leading the famous group of 200 musicians.

Miss Brico admits that she has had to climb musical scales all of her life to get to the place where she could swing the baton.

MUSIC HER MASTER  
WHEN a woman is a concert pianist, she writes something of that sort, she must combine intelligence and a career," the conductor says. "With me, it is different. As a guest conductor I must go everywhere. It would be impossible for me to establish a home."

"But I do not believe that a woman should confine her activities entirely to her work. She must have diversified interests if she is going to acquire fresh enthusiasm."

CONDUCTED IN EUROPE  
SHE WENT to Germany and was the protege of Dr. Karl Muck, one-time conductor of the Berlin Symphony Orchestra, for five years. During that time she coached at the Wagnerian festivals at Bayreuth. For two years she studied at the conductor's school at the State Academy of Music, in Berlin.

She conducted symphonies in Berlin, Hamburg, Latvia and Poland. In 1926 she made her American debut at the Hollywood Bowl. Other American engagements have followed. And then the Metropolitan Opera House chose her for its director in Tchaikovsky's Fourth Symphony.

Conducting, which is the final field for women musicians, requires an even

JUNIORS GIVE  
FINE CONCERT

Younger Musical Art Members Assisted By Three Guest Artists

Romance and society are going hand-in-hand in New York this season with one of the most recent romances announced being the engagement of Miss Mary Corning, daughter of Alfred States Representative and Mrs. Parker Corning, to Philip Igelhart.

The Junior branch of the Musical Art Society is firmly establishing a niche for itself in the musical life of the city, and a large and interested audience of members and friends listened with evident appreciation to the excellent programme, arranged by Miss Helen Winn, at the New Thought Temple yesterday evening.

GUEST ARTISTS

The guest artists included: Miss Yvonne de Bretigny of Toronto, and formerly of Victoria, who has been studying piano for some time with Edith Milroy of Vancouver.

Miss de Bretigny, who is to appear in repertory here on Monday evening, has just returned from two years' study abroad in Vienna, France, Belgium, England and New York, and will give a short talk on Vienna and its composers, past and present, and Mrs. Gordon Downes.

Miss de Bretigny's numbers included: "Bellade in G Minor" (Brahms), "Etude in F Major" (Scriabin), "Rhapsodie in G Sharp Minor" (Dohnanyi), her play throughout showing a marked advancement in technique and musical understanding as the result of her studies.

Mrs. Downes revealed versatile gifts in her lightning sketches, and in her skit on "A Child's Guide to the Talking," replied with delicious humor. The juniors considered themselves particularly fortunate to have Miss Milroy, her graphic word pictures of life in Vienna and the homes of some of the great masters being followed with much interest.

JUNIORS ASSIST

The attractive programme was rounded out by two of the Juniors, Miss Doris Le Page, violinist, who played with much feeling the ever-popular and haunting "Londonderry Air" (Grainger) and "Romance" (d'Ambrosio), and Miss Isobel Crawford, soprano, who sweetly sang: "Songs My Mother Taught Me" (Dvorak), "Piper of Love" (Carver) and "Candle-lighting Time" (Coleridge-Taylor).

At the close of the programme the president, Miss Joyce Adams, expressed her gratitude on behalf of the club for the splendid assistance given by the artists of the evening.

INTERNATIONAL  
IDEAL DEFINEDMiss Margaret Clay Gives Interesting Address to  
I.O.D.E. Chapter

INTERNATIONAL

Lodge Held Social—Princess Patricia led 2000 members of St. George held their regular meeting yesterday evening in the Maccabees' Hall. Worthy President Mrs. Jane Preasiding. A number of visiting sisters were present, including Mrs. Muckie, worthy president of Lodge No. 83. Two new members were initiated into the order. At the close of the meeting a social time was enjoyed and refreshments served.

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# WEEK-END MURDER

By GABRIELLE E. FORBUSH

"Tom!"  
"Well, you can't deny he likes you, but as a result of your early acquaintance he thinks of you as a sort of kid compared to him!"

"Um, yes—I suppose so. Oh, Tom, how did Aunt Cadence ever get it into her rows and rows of respectable old standbys?"

"That, my darling, is a mystery we do not have time to solve, thank fortune!"

"Our problem is that he got it out—and where, and how?"

"Tom—it's high tide!"

"Know. We simply must go. They all want a swim. We'll think about this—I don't know just how it fits in but it's no end mysterious. Come on and round 'em up. Don't forget you've to vamp Statlander. Haven't anything to report on the interview before breakfast, have you?"

Linda gurgled with reminiscence.

"Nothing but a perfectly outrageous performance by Mr. Shaughnessy. The way he rescued me from a Statlanderish inquisition—well, I'll tell you about it later. Now wait a minute till I get home member all was to ask. We're wading so far from him. Towel—balcony curtains—door—your there—plenty. And here's where I pin him down!"

## CHAPTER XLII

Floating far enough from the raft to escape the sizable surf created by fancy diving contests between Tom and DeVos—and the even more cosmic disturbances which followed Shaughnessy's attempt to imitate them—Linda was by no means as lazy as she looked. She was turning over in her mind the talk she must have with Statlander, now sitting a trifle aimlessly on the edge of the float as it careened back and forth under the athletic exercises of the three young men.

It was hard to keep her thoughts on the subject. High tempers—quarrels—murder—seemed all incredibly far away and unimportant in this restful yielding to the little ripples which gently moved the tranquil water of the bay. Suddenly Linda was disturbed by a tremendous, rhythmic, violent agitation of the water. Too near the miniature geyser shot into the air and, almost at her elbow, two long bare legs appeared wildly kicking. She went under head first, righted herself, and came up spluttering and laughing beside the thrashing figure of the Irishman.

"That," he observed, treading water and puffing aimlessly, "was a swell dive. Perhaps I should have written it the other day. I'd no idea it would carry me so far. Mrs. Averill. Are you drowned entirely?"

"Not entirely," replied Linda. "I'm semi-aquatic, so don't worry. I'd drifted nearer the raft than I realized. The tide's still setting in a bit."

They had stroked for the little ladder and she pulled herself up, noticing that Statlander it was time to leave. Mr. Statlander. He moved over courteously as she approached and she noticed with amusement that after one startled glance at her dipping figure in the scarlet jersey he modestly looked the other way.

"You don't care much for the water, Mr. Statlander?"

"He cleared his throat. "Why, yes—as far as I'm a little out of practice now, I don't get much time for swimming."

"But you do swim, don't you?"

"Certainly. It's a matter of ordinary common sense to do so." (He would put it on a purely practical basis, thought Linda, as she mentally anticipated his next remark.) "Every child ought to be taught the simple strokes and, of course, artificial respiration. You must take care of the water in the water."

"But you couldn't swim the English Channel?" Linda countered lazily.

"Beg pardon?" he asked.

The remark hardly seemed worth repeating.

"I said I'm no Gertrude Edgeley, she answered. "I certainly don't feel very strong this morning. Heaven!"

The float was rocked by another outburst of energy on the part of the three men. Mr. Statlander looked over his shoulder distrustfully.

"Neither do I," he said. "As a matter of fact, I believe that a short stay in the water is healthiest. I like to get in quickly and keep moving all the time. First I swim a hundred strokes or so on the right side, then the same number on the left. Keeps my muscular development even."

"I don't like the crawl—perhaps I started too late to learn it well. It's a bad just now, but to my mind a silly one."

Linda shrewdly reflected that he probably objected to anything he did not do well himself.

"Twenty minutes—at the most twenty-five," he continued. "I'm longing to stay in the water. Remaining in it a whole morning or afternoon is sure to undermine the strength in the long run."

Linda, her hands over her eyes, was comfortably taking a sunbath.

"Don't you like to bask, Mr. Statlander?" she asked.

"To what?" His tone indicated that he could not believe his ears.

"To bask. I mean this—just lie around and do nothing."

"Certainly not." She felt his glance sweep over her prostrate form and reflected that what might have precipitated compliments from another left him only disapproving. "What good do you get from lying flat on your back that way? Good brisk exercise—with a definite purpose. Each day a little more than the day before."

(To Be Continued)

## MONEY RAISED FOR HOSPITAL

Nanaimo, Jan. 21—Nanaimo hospital will benefit to the extent of \$200, proceeds of the comedy opera, "Swami of Bagdad," presented under the auspices of the Red Cross Society. A meeting of the Red Cross was held Wednesday at the home of Mr. Paishley to wind up the affairs of the opera. A committee was appointed to investigate the possibilities of again presenting the opera, and an invitation from the Dramatic Art Society of Victoria to enter the March competition will be considered. V. B. Harrison was appointed to attend the provincial Red Cross annual meeting to be held in Victoria.

Installation of officers took place Wednesday evening at the Black Diamond Lodge, No. 5, I.O.O.F., B.D.M. Bro. John Moore performing the installation ceremonies. The following officers were installed: N.G. Harry C. Reillin; vice-grand, J. R. Hamilton; secretary, E. G. Cavalsky; financial secretary, A. R. Lane; treasurer, John Scott; Wm. R. McArthur; correspondence, M. Scott; B.S. S. John Moore; H.S.S. J. Robinson; L.S.S. Wm. Phillip; L.G. J. R. Crellin; O.G. John Boyd; chaplin, William Carmichael.

Dr. T. Albert Moore, moderator of the United Church of Canada, addressed the joint luncheon of the Nanaimo Service Club Wednesday on "True Canadian Citizenship." J. J. Dickinson, president of the Rotarians, was in the chair.

(Advt.)

## On the Air

CFCT, VICTORIA  
To-night  
6.00—Modern Melodies.  
6.30—The Hour of Sunset.  
7.00—The Music Box.  
9.30—News Flash.  
12.00—Midnight DX Hour.  
1.00—The Silver Screen.  
11.00—Christ Church Cathedral.  
3.00—Radio Fellowship.  
5.00—The Concert Hour.  
7.30—Christ Church Cathedral.  
9.15—Louise A. Wimmer, talk.

KJR, SEATTLE  
To-night  
5.00—American Taxpayers League speaker.  
5.15—Echoes of the Palais.  
5.30—The World Today.  
6.00—Musical Echoes.  
6.30—Education at the Cross Roads.  
6.45—Guitar and organ duet.  
7.00—The Medicine Show.  
7.30—New Edition of Airs.  
8.00—National Concert Orchestra.  
8.30—Waldorf Astoria Dance Orchestra.  
8.45—San Francisco Symphony Orchestra.  
9.00—Carnegie Hall Dance Orchestra.  
10.00—Cole McElroy's Dance Orchestra.  
10.30—Tom Gerin and Bal. Tarzan Or.

11.00—Reunions.  
12.00—Te-morrow Afternoon.  
1.00—Radio Pictures.  
2.15—Major Blues and Capitol Theatre Or.

2.30—The Cartoons.  
3.00—Rudy and His Gang.  
3.15—Organ Melodies.  
3.30—International Bible Students' Pro.

3.45—Ecclesiastes.

3.50—Bible Stories.

3.55—Te-morrow Afternoon.

3.30—Melody Mixers.

3.45—The Melodic Ensemble.

3.50—Quartette Time.

3.55—The Cathouse Hour.

4.00—The Concert Hour and his Orchestra.

4.20—Nathan Alou's violin recital.

4.30—Sunday Concert.

4.30—Guitar and organ.

4.45—Silhouettes.

4.50—Western Church Christ Scientist eve.

4.55—Personal Closeups.

5.00—Silhouettes.

5.05—Western Church Christ Scientist eve.

5.15—Readers' Guide, conducted by Joseph

3.30—Uncle Joe and orchestra from Netherlands Plaza.

3.45—Denver Union Musicians Associated

11.00—On Wings of Music.

12.00—Te-morrow Afternoon.

1.00—Rhythm Aces.

1.15—Quotations.

1.30—The Sun Risers.

1.45—Finance Recital.

1.50—Music in May, Gordon.

1.55—Sonata Recital.

1.45—Julia Hayes.

1.50—Piano Recitals.

1.55—Dixie Memories.

1.50—Mardi Gras.

1.55—The Ambassador.

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1.55—Rhythmic Serenades.

1.55—Outstanding Rhythmic speakers.

1.55—Little Concert.

12.00—Sax & Tunes.

1.00—Johnny Robinson and his Vagabonds

1.00—Music of the Air.

2.00—Lee Sims with Ilomay Bailey.

2.15—Monday Matines.

2.30—The East Chair.

2.45—The Moonlight.

3.00—The World Bookman.

3.15—Lost and Found Advertisements.

3.30—Helen and Her Violin.

3.45—Hotel Mark Hopkins Or.

3.55—Ambassador Hotel Or.

4.00—Te-morrow Morning.

4.00—American Concert.

4.15—Arabian Concert.

4.30—Song Album.

4.45—Serenades.

4.50—The Pilgrims.

5.00—Ages Swenson in recital. Soprano.

5.15—Clive Dorr Saxophone Octette.

5.30—Yeast Fumers.

5.45—Lady Lulu's Serenades.

12.00—Hour of Worship.

1.00—Te-morrow Afternoon.

1.00—Modern Melodies.

1.15—Concert Orchestra.

1.30—Bal Tabarin Or.

1.45—The Red Shadow.

2.00—Mid-day Musical.

2.15—Western Music.

2.30—Homespun Melodies.

2.45—Sunday at Seth Parker's.

3.00—Te-morrow Morning.

3.15—Inspirational Services.

3.30—Te-morrow Morning.

3.45—Te-morrow Morning.

3.50—Betty Bon.

3.55—The Observer.

4.00—Dr. Dick.

4.15—The Melodians.

4.30—Uncle Hank from Ciderhouse Centre.

4.45—Club Minutes.

5.00—Farm programme conducted by J. C. Scott.

5.15—Morin Sisters.

5.30—Morin Sisters in History.

5.45—Chase and Sanborn Programme.

6.00—General Electric Sunday Circle.

6.15—Coffee Hour.

6.30—The World Bookman.

6.45—Lost and Found Advertisements.

6.55—Federal business talk.

7.00—Eileen Piggott, soloist.

7.15—Californian State Chamber of Commerce Programme.

KOMO, SEATTLE  
To-night

7.00—The Lucky Strike Dance Hour.

7.15—Bal Tabarin Or.

7.30—The Concert Hour.

7.45—The Cathouse Hour.

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8.00—The Concert Hour.

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## Announcements

BORN  
CAMPBELL—On January 18 at St. Joseph's Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. A. Campbell (neé Cameron), 581 Nazara St., a son.

BORN  
STEVENS—On January 19, at the Royal Victoria Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. A. Stevenson (neé Doris Newcomb), 1544 Amherst St., a daughter.

CARD OF THANKS  
Mr. and Mrs. Bobb Griffiths and family wish to thank all friends and their kind words of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes sent during their recent sad bereavement and sudden passing of a loving son and brother. Also Dr. S. G. Kenning for his untiring efforts.

CARD OF THANKS  
The Sisters of St. Ann extend hearty thanks to all friends of the late Mother Mary Bridge for expressions of sympathy during the interment, recent bereavement. Expressions of sympathy are tenderly appreciated by representatives sent to the funeral service, also to the gentlemen pall-bearers and the organist. Appreciation is tendered the local daily paper for tributes of esteem expressed on behalf of the late pioneer and the mother.

THE SISTERS OF ST. ANN.

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Mr. D. Provan and family wish to take this opportunity to thank their sincere thanks to neighbors and many friends for kind words of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes sent in their recent bereavement of a loving son and brother.

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A fair and book display, Crystal Garden  
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# Leading Soccer Teams of Province Coming Here For Matches

## THE SPORTS MIRROR

Ice Hockey Makes Sensational Progress in United States

Owners of American Clubs Have More Than \$10,000,000 Invested

\$1,000,000 Race Track at Los Angeles Ready for Opening in March

A RECENT game of hockey between the Detroit Red Wings and the New York Rangers brought 14,400 howling fans to the Olympic arena in Detroit. The crowd filled every available seat, jammed the aisles, stood on the backs of chairs and perched on steel girders high above the heads of thousands of seated spectators. Hockey, still on its eight years of American franchise in the National Hockey League could have been purchased for a few thousand dollars; to-day, depression prices and all, a franchise would set the buyer back about \$350,000.

Going down across the borders of Canada via Boston in the east, through the cities of Washington on the Pacific Coast and the states all the way along the northern frontier, hockey has become a major sport in the United States. In an amazingly short time, in less than a decade, the number of clubs has grown from less than \$10,000,000, which represents money put into league teams in New York, Boston, Detroit, Chicago, Syracuse, Buffalo, Cleveland, Philadelphia, New Haven, Providence, Newark, Los Angeles, Oakland, San Francisco, St. Paul, Minneapolis and St. Louis.

Down through hundreds of years, some form of hockey has been played. The Greeks called it keratizo. About 800 B.C. the young bucks of Attica used to dispose of their native cities. They played some clothing. But hockey was an old game then. The Irish had fought over it twelve centuries before Christ. They called it baire. It was contested with nine players who wielded sticks and whacked at the ball. Along the St. Lawrence river and the lakes, they played boccey and bashed one another on the skull. The tale is that the injured Indians used to shout "hoghee" which is a plausible explanation for the origin of the name of the modern game.

Hockey is Canada's national winter game. Hockey players in this country move up to the major league team much the same way that ball players develop for the big show in the United States. Lester Patrick, famous Victoria mentor, president of the New York Rangers, started playing in the United States when he was 16. Firemen used to flood small place to provide ice for the kids. The prairies are the big producers of hockey material in Canada, where the kids start using a hockey stick about as soon as they can toddle around.

Although the law of the state of California says its citizens cannot openly bet on the result of a horse race, "the world's most beautiful horse-racing track" is being constructed at Los Angeles at a cost of \$1,000,000. Under a complicated "donation" system which backers of the plan say will not be used, they hope to return the sport of kings to southern California after sixteen years absence. While fate of the system is doubtful, it is predicted the track will be supported in a big way.

The track is being financed by Joseph Smoot, eastern business man. It will be called the Los Angeles Jockey Club. The first race is scheduled for March 20.

The plant is being built on the site of the famous old San Anita track, where "Lucky" Baldwin, the great California Derby winners, long ago. His daughter, Miss Anita Baldwin, herself a racing fan, leased the land to Smoot and will be one of the club's directors. Twenty-six Baldwin horses, including the famous Emperor of Norfolk, are buried nearby.

Mile after mile of orange groves with snow-capped mountains in the background, may be seen from the track's grandstand. Beautiful Spanish architecture is being used throughout the plant's spacious and numerous buildings.

\* \* \* \* \* Smoot, who is destined to lose his cool million if his betting system is ruled illegal, built the famous Hialeah Park track at Miami, Fla., ten years ago, operated it successfully for six years, and then sold out at a big profit to Joseph Weidenfeld, the Broadway theatrical magnate and breeder.

For a small track near San Francisco, has operated within the law for the last two years under an "option" system of betting similar to the "donation" system.

**PLAYERS REINSTATED**

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Baseball Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis yesterday granted the reinstatement petitions of First Baseman Arthur Shires, Boston Braves, and Pitcher Henry Henry Johnson, Boston Red Sox, who had been voluntarily retired.

**HERMAN SIGNS WITH CHICAGO**

Portland Opposes Lower Admission

San Jose, Cal., Jan. 21.—Opposition to the proposed twenty-five cent admission charge for Coast League baseball games was voiced yesterday by Tom Turner, president of the Portland Club. Turner said he will vote against any such proposal at the league meeting in San Francisco Monday. Turner arrived here to make arrangements for the spring training session of his team.

**Wrestler Engages Crowd in Brawl**

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 21.—A brawl, in which a spectator took a punch at Leo Planzki, wrestler, and knocked him to the floor after he had fallen from the ring, lost him his match with Dick Shirk here yesterday evening. Leo, being counted out as he was tossing punches and banting with a section of the crowd at the ringside here.

## New Westminster Royals Will Play Game Good Friday

Holiday Fixture Will Pit Them Against Victoria Intercity Eleven

**Local Teams In Connaught Cup**

Possibly Three Clubs From Victoria League Will Seek Canadian Crown

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Leading football teams of the province will be brought to Victoria for engagements during the next few weeks.

In the Pacific Coast League the Victoria intercity eleven has five home matches against the three Mainland elevens and Nanaimo and one or more games here in the Association Cup competition, now being run-off.

In addition two or more clubs from the Victoria and District League plan entering the Connaught Cup competition for the Canadian championship which is likely to result in North Shore, Vancouver, last year's runners-up for the Dominion crown, appearing here.

Montreal, Jan. 21.—"The finest thing that ever happened," was the description of President Frank Greenleaf of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, in commenting yesterday evening on a report that United States amateur hockey clubs have decided not to play any more exhibition games with Canadian teams unless the C.A.H.A. lifts its ban against the Atlantic City Sea Gulls.

"I think that it is the finest thing that ever happened. I do not think we miss anything by the barring of any Canadian team playing across the border. The C.A.H.A. is not going to lift the ban and allow Canadian teams to play the Sea Gulls."

The ban against the Sea Gulls playing exhibition games with Canadian teams was put into effect following charges the United States had enticed young Canadian players across the border.

The remaining intercity games for the Victoria team both home and away were announced as follows:

HOME

Jan. 28, Victoria vs. St. Saviour's.

March 21, Victoria vs. Nanaimo.

April 25, Victoria vs. St. Andrews.

April 14, Victoria vs. New West-

minster.

May 13, Victoria vs. St. Saviour's.

AWAY

March 18, Victoria vs. New West-

minster.

April 1, Victoria vs. St. Andrews.

In addition the Victoria officials are attempting to arrange an Island championship series with Nanaimo. It is hoped to make this an annual competition and the honours will be shared.

The Association Cup competition is now in the preliminary round in Victoria. After winners are decided the local clubs will be drawn against Vancouver competition and it is hoped at least one of the clubs will be fortunate enough to get a home fixture.

**JOKERS TO ENTER**

The Connaught Cup series is expected to draw possible three entries from the Victoria and District League. The Jokers intend to enter as a team as well as Duncan, while a third club may be formed from the other teams in the League.

Previous to the Connaught Cup series, the teams of the Victoria and District League will engage in the exhibition fixtures, along with teams from Vancouver.

The programme promises some fine football entertainment for football followers here.

**TAYLOR HANDS KRUSE DEFEAT**

Rugged Calgary Matman Gives Portland Pointer in His Own Style

Father Time has robbed him of some of his speed, put wrinkles in his brow and left vacant lots in his golden hair but has made fans wonder what a man, Jack Taylor, Calgary, claimant of the Canadian heavyweight wrestling championship, used to be in his palmy days, as a result of the way he took the number of Bob Kruse, Portland's wild man, at the Pacific Stadium yesterday evening.

The best of Victoria's amateur boxing and wrestling talent will clash to-night in a mixed card at the Pacific Stadium, as followers of those sports lend their aid to Johnny Rowlands, injured rugger, by presenting a benefit programme.

Over fifteen bouts have been listed.

They will bring together the leading fighters and grapplers of the city's sumo-pure ranks and plenty of action is promised as they battle in their exhibition fixtures.

Local sport fans are expected to give the programme whole-hearted support.

Not only will they see outstanding bouts, but they will be contributing to an exceptionally worthy objective.

**WELL SUPPORTED**

Canadian Scottish Regiment and Victoria Rugby Union officials have pledged their backing to the attraction which has been arranged to a great extent by George Lovatt, coach of the Y.M.C.A. wrestlers. The stadium has been secured free from the Y.M.C.A. participants in this evening's bout.

It will not be competing for prizes. With expenses at a minimum a good sum is expected to be realized from the event.

Lovatt will referee all bouts, and Dave Lewis, Canadian Scottish boxing coach, and Bob Travis, also of the regiment, will be judges. Col. Brooke Stephenson and the Canadian Scottish and the Rugby Union respectively, will set as officials. Norval Peterson will be time-keeper.

**PROGRAMME**

Several exceptionally good bouts are included in the card which follows:

**WRESTLING**

170 pounds—George Farmer, Y.M.C.A. champion, vs. F. Waring.

Catch weights—H. Luney, Y.M.C.A. champion, (at 165 pounds), vs. Vic Stevens, holder of Y.M.C.A. 150-pound title.

140 pounds—Pete Tyson, twice holder of British Columbia crown and runner-up for P.N.W. title, as well as Olympic trials contender, vs. Ken Hope of Y.M.C.A.

135 pounds—J. Yates, Y.M.C.A. vs. Chuck Sharp.

140 pounds—E. Rigby, Y.M.C.A. vs. Roskelly, Y.M.C.A. champion.

Catch weights—Fred Loosier, 135 pounds, 1929 British Columbia champion, vs. Rudy Loosier, 120 pounds, Y.M.C.A. champion and runner-up for the P.N.W. title.

**JOSE SANTA IS LUCKY WINNER**

Butts Maloney to Open Up Wide Gash Over His Eye and Bout Is Halted

Boston, Jan. 21.—Jose Santa, ponderous Portuguese heavyweight, yesterday evening gained a five-round technical knockout over Jimmy Maloney, veteran Boston heavyweight, after they clashed heads in a clinch during their contest, scheduled for ten rounds.

Santa's unintentional butt opened a wide gash over Maloney's eye, and referee Johnny Martin refused to permit him to continue after the fourth.

Maloney, twice holder of the P.N.W. title, was knocked out by a right hand from Santa.

**BOXING**

175 pounds—Constable Louis Callum, vs. opponent.

160 pounds—A. Dawkins, British Columbia champion and Olympic trials contender, vs. Dick Atwood.

150 pounds—H. Bailey, Y.M.C.A. champion vs. B. Wright.

135 pounds—J. Myree, Canadian Scottish, vs. Tom Embury, Canadian Scottish.

155 pounds—Ralph Hocking, holder of British Columbia title from Canadian Scottish, vs. Roy Linley, Canadian Scottish.

**SCORES KNOCKOUT**

Montreal, Jan. 21.—Paul Schaeffer, Winnipeg, yesterday evening scored a technical knockout over Albert Broder, Montreal middleweight, in the feature bout at the International Sporting Club. Broder had to quit in the seventh round of a scheduled ten-round bout after one of Schaeffer's terrific left-hands knocked him down.

Lloyd Fenton and Reg Hopkins went six bright rounds without a fall.

Spider Mascal and Jack Gardner wrestled three rounds to a draw, as yet unnamed.

## BOBBY JONES OPENS "PERFECT" COURSE



PATTERNED after some of the most beautiful and difficult golf courses in the United States and Scotland, the new Augusta National Golf Club, built by Bobby Jones and associates at Augusta, Ga., is ready for play after three years of construction. The course, built for amateur and championship play, requires strategy as well as skill, gives the average player a chance, and is a tribute to landscape architecture over its championship distance of 6,700 yards. Above is a view of the rolling ninth green, with the clubhouse in the background. Lower left is the fourth tee, with No. 2 fairway in the background, and lower right is the third tee.

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## Serious Spills Mark Opening of Ride to Nowhere

Anthony Beckman, English Rider, Taken to Hospital After Pile-up

### PEDEN ARRIVES BY AIR ROUTE

Winter-Lands, German Combination, Lead Field By Point Advantage

### BUILDS RACING PLANT IN SOUTH



JOSEPH SMEETH  
who is financing the construction of the new \$1,000,000 racetrack at Los Angeles. The plant called "the world's most beautiful horse racing track," will be ready for the opening meet on March 30.

### BIKE RIDERS WILL BE BUSY

Promoters Planning to Increase Number of Races For Six-day Pedalers

### PLAY STARTS IN DUNCAN TOURNEY

Keen Competition Marks First Day's Matches in Open Badminton Event

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Women's Open Singles

Mrs. Rice beat Miss Hotson, 11-4.

Miss Morley beat Miss A. Thwaites, 11-11.

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Miss Blyth beat Miss F. Staples, 11-10.

Mrs. Rice beat Miss Pam Thwaites, 11-7, 11-4.

Miss Dawson-Thomas beat Miss Pat Thwaites, 11-5, 11-6.

Mixed Doubles Open

R. Birch and Mrs. Rice beat N. McGregor and Miss Pam Thwaites, 15-10, 15-8.

A. Dirom and Mrs. Ancell beat W. Corfield and Miss J. Campbell, 15-8, 15-12.

A. Webb and Miss Miller beat Twite and Miss Robinson, 15-10, 15-8.

A. S. Appleby and Miss M. Norie beat W. Bawitz and Miss Morley, 9-15, 15-8.

R. Mutter and Miss Blyth beat Henslowe and Miss Pat Thwaites, 15-10, 15-4.

Misses Pam and Pat Thwaites beat Miss McEwan and Miss Hotson, 15-4, 15-2.

Miss Purvey and Miss Thwaites beat Miss Baker and Miss Gibson, 17-16, 9-15, 15-12.

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Men's Open Singles

Team "A" - Mrs. Eiches, 439, Mrs. Chambers, 429, Mrs. Hawkins, 496, G. Chisholm, 75, Mrs. T. Smith, 399, Mrs. J. Thompson, 547, Mrs. J. Peacock, 507, Mrs. Walls, 56, Mrs. J. Jones, 299, Mrs. Vivian, 474, Total 489. Total 2,464.

Victoria Shoe Repairs - F. Moore, 536, J. Thompson, 47, A. Dean, 582, A. Manson, 440, J. Quinn, 565, A. Porter, 488, Total 594. Total 411.

IRON MEN

They call Reggie McNamara, the ancient Australian, the iron man of the Iron Men. He is a real iron man and no others need apply. These bikers started work last August in Vancouver. Then, in succession, they appeared in Montreal, Toronto, Chicago, Milwaukee, New York and Philadelphia.

The course not all of the riders appear at all the events. McNamara, who is beginning to feel the weight of his forty-eight years, and eighteen races, has cut down on his programme. But only as far back as 1931, Reggie and Torch Peden won the event at Madison Square Garden.

THAT'S WHEELING

Mister Peden is a great help to any team. There is hardly an ounce of extra fat on the man's 218-pound frame. He is built like a cable. It is little bit hard to imagine a 218-pound man working along on a slender looking bike at the rate of around eighty miles an hour, but this lad is the one who can do it.

A couple of years ago a dispute prompted by pitiful publicity, raged up and down the land, concerning the speed these cyclists can make. A test was arranged. Peden was going eighty-one when it roared across the finish tape, and Peden was breezing right along with it.

THE WORKING MAN

Peden established the remarkable record last year of winning five of these six-day races in nine weeks.

When the managers and publicity purveyors swooped down on Cleveland to smoke up the show, Peden was riding mostly in Germany.

In order to fulfill his contract and reach Cleveland in time, the once

Peden made arrangements to leave the steamship Bremen in the mail plane while the ship was still many miles from shore, if necessary. This was not necessary although Peden journeyed by air from Newark to Cleveland. That is figuring the clock pretty close.

Beds - Stewart 4, Querna, J. Young 6, Young, J. Ross, R. White, T. Robinson, Green, Rooney 14, Rankin, Thompson 2, Margison, McKinley 5, Parsons 2, Stoddard, Rutledge, Blue, Lacy, Hall, Beech 8, Holtrum, Gale, Gibb 4.

Johnny Dixon, Philadelphia, out-pointed Jackie Shupack, Patterson, N.J. (8).

### RAYSHINES IN TITLE VICTORY

Cinch City Senior "B" Women's Hoop Crown By Win Over Standard Laundry

Blue Ribbons and Fifth Regiment Capture Senior "A" Men's Engagements

With the entire team, passing and shooting in top form, the Rayshines easily defeated the Standard Laundry five, 40 to 12, at the Victoria High School gym yesterday evening to win the local Senior B women's basketball championship. The victory gave the Rayshines a record of nine victories and one defeat for the season.

In the other two games the C.P.S. fell before the accurate marksmanship and playing ability of the Blue Ribbons, 33 to 16, and the Fifth Regiment defeated the Beavers, 31 to 20.

The Rayshines opened their game with a heavy offensive, with Mary Wilson, Mary Peden and Torie Rennie leading the scoring. The Standards battled gamely but their inexperience and size gave the Rayshines many scoring breaks.

The second half was an absolute repetition of the first, with Rayshines baskets coming thick and fast, and at no time was the outcome in doubt.

DUANE GARNER, former National

League star, was the outstanding player in the Crescent victory, figuring in three of the five goals. Bill Gane Fusile was the leading light for the Caps with two of their three counters.

The teams battled to a one-goal tie in the first period, but in the second the Crescents went out ahead by 3 to 1. In the final period, each team scored twice.

By taking advantage of the Beavers' poor passing and shooting, the Fifth Regiment turned in a well-earned victory over their younger opponents. Ray Martin, with twelve points, was the leading scorer for the Gunners, while Goldsmith led the Beavers with nine.

CHARLES Winter and Dave Lands, the two leaders, led the race at 3:30 a.m. The teams then had covered 109 miles and eight laps.

Standings follow:

POINTS

Winter-Lands, German ... 38 McNamara-Hill, American ... 35 Leating-Grimm, American ... 23 Walker-Gadou, Australian ... 17 Van Siambrom-Zach, Swiss ... 16 Maggio-Delfillo, Italian ... 13 (One lap behind)

Pro Patria, French ... 36 Peden-Audy, Canadian ... 28 McCormick-Boograms, Belgian ... 8 McClay-Sheehan, Irish ... 7 Holland-Peneite, Hungarian ... 7 Black-Christian, Polish ... 4

BILLIARDS

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Game Is Invading Many New Cities; Bill Peden One of Most Hard-worked

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Second Half Games in Junior and Senior Boys' Basketball and Girls' Grass Hockey For City School Athletes Are Released

Second half schedules for the boys' junior and senior basketball and girls' grass hockey competitions between athletes of the Victoria public schools were announced to-day. The senior basketball league and the grass hockey will operate until April, while the boys' junior basketball concludes in March.

The junior basketball is operated in two sections, north and south four teams in each.

The complete schedules follow:

BOYS' SENIOR BASKETBALL

January 23 Victoria West vs. Boys' Central.

January 25 Victoria West vs. Oaklands.

February 1 Victoria West vs. Victoria East.

February 9 Victoria West vs. Oaklands.

February 16 Victoria West vs. Victoria East.

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March 2 Victoria West vs. North Ward.

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BOYS' JUNIOR BASKETBALL

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BOYS' GRASS HOCKEY

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BOYS' JUNIOR BASKETBALL - SOUTH SECTION

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BOYS' JUNIOR BASKETBALL - NORTH SECTION

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## Outside Easiness Puts Wheat Prices Down at Winnipeg

Canadian Press

Winnipeg, Jan. 21.—An almost total lack of business here, combined with easiness at Chicago and a slight at Liverpool, caused a fractional decline in wheat prices to-day. Values at the most of the short week-end session were  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{3}{4}$  lower. No export was traced.

May closed at 45¢, July at 46¢, and October at 47¢.

Neither Chicago nor this market were able to hold early fractional gains in the face of sharp buying interest in selling between the two markets led to selling of Winnipeg against purchases in the south but this trade was not large.

The Dominion government crop report making a further reduction in the 1932 wheat crop of the prairie provinces was a minor factor as wheat exports from the United States southwest, but their effect was only temporary.

Interest-in cash market and coarse grains was little changed from that of the last several weeks. Spreads generally were unchanged.

## To-day's Grain Markets

WINNIPEG

	Wheat			Wheat			Wheat		
May	46-2	46-3	45-5	45-5	46-7	47-4	45-5	46-7	47-6
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## Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

Mr. And Mrs.

Does It Pay to Be Good? Asks Bewildered Young Girl—Wife Who Lost Her Looks While Her Husband Grew More Handsome—Telling Truth Safer

EAR MISS DIX—Has the day passed when a girl is expected to be virtuous? It seems to me it has. I never go out with a boy but what he expects me to do things that no decent girl would do, and I do not intend to drag myself down to the gutter for any man's self-desires. You said in one of your recent letters that the happiest people were those who lead clean lives. I'm not happy because every time I find a boy that I like real well I am put aside as soon as he finds out that I am straight, and he gets a girl who is not so particular. I have been tempted many times to give in just because I hated to lose the boy. I have lost many boy friends just because I wanted to hold up the standards that women are supposed to possess. Please answer this letter, not only for my sake, but for many other young girls who have talked to me and who are also tempted as I am.

TEMPTED.

Answer: Look at this, my child, and try to get the right sense of values. Do you think you are losing much when you lose a boy who rates as he does the women of the street, and who is willing to put you in their class for his own selfish pleasure? Do you see anything admirable in a boy who is so lost to all sense of decency that he has no respect for a woman's virtue and no reverence for a young girl's innocence?

Do you think that sort of a man is worth having? Do you think he would make a faithful and true husband?

Don't you think a girl sells out for a pitifully small price who barter her for a few dates, a few movie tickets, a few dinners and dances, and all this on the cheap side, as the English say? If you are going to tread the sunrose path, at least value yourself enough to do it with a partner who can treat it with jewels and limousines and Paris finery. You can buy your own ice cream sodas and pay your own street car fares and still have the pleasure of your own self-respect and good name.

Believe me, my dear, there is no other more contemptible figure than the caddish modern youth who makes a girl pay for his attentions with her honor, and why any girl falls for such an unequal bargain passes comprehension. For the boy does not pretend to be in love with her. He does not offer to marry her. He does not present her with diamond rings, and emerald bracelets. He does not even take her to expensive places of amusement and feed her on champagne and terrapin. He buys her a ham sandwich and takes her to a ten-cent dance hall and the neighborhood cinema, and for that and the joy of looking at him he expects her to give her soul.

I think that when one of these poor little imitation understudies of Don Juan passes you up for some girl with less brains and less principle than you have and who holds herself cheaper than you do yourself, you should thank God or your luck instead of bemoaning your fate. That sort of man brings a woman nothing but degradation and sickness and death.

Many girls like you, seeing that they do not have as many dates as the wild women, ask if it pays to be good. Sometimes it seems to them that is wild virtue may be its own reward; it is its only reward, and that that is small comfort to one whose feet itch to dance and who longs for laughter and light and music.

But for all that it DOES PAY TO BE GOOD. It pays first in self-respect, and that is the first necessity to happiness. You can get along without the good opinion of other people, but to have any peace of mind you have got to stand well with yourself. You have to be able to look your own self in the face.

And no girl can do that if she has been false to her traditions and lowered her standards. No girl can do that who knows that she has sinned the white robes of her womanhood. No girl can do that who knows that she has become one of the fallen sisterhood.

Nearly all girls who go wrong take to drink and drugs in order to forget the things they have become and to blot out memories that torture them.

It pays a girl to be good if she wants to have a happy married life. Not many men are willing to marry the weak women who have sinned with them. Not many men are willing to marry a woman with a past and who has been the plaything of other men. And when one does forgive, he never forgets and never trusts her.

The happy marriages are when the man has faith in his wife's goodness as he has faith in God and when she has no bitter regrets in her heart and hides no shameful secrets from him.

DOROTHY DIX

DEAR MISS DIX—When my husband and I were married we were about on an average in appearance and handsome youngsters at that. Now that we are middle-aged I have lost all of my good looks and he gets better-looking every year. Everywhere we go women say to me something about how good-looking he is, and it is getting on my nerves and giving me an inferiority complex. I feel that he deserves a prettier wife, but he seems satisfied and he is not in the least vain and conceited. What to do? SYLVIA.

Answer: The only thing you can do is to meet the situation with philosophy and thank Heaven that your husband's good looks have not turned his head and started him out on a career of philandering.

It is one of the cruel jests of nature that women, who need beauty so much more than men do, lose it sooner than men and that as they grow older they often deteriorate in looks, while men frequently improve. Many a gawky, ugly boy with an Irish-potato face turns into a handsome and distinguished-looking middle-aged man. But times does not deal so kindly with a woman. It changes her from a sylph to something that, at its best, we speak of as being well preserved."

And the cruelty of the thing is that so often the middle-aged woman needs beauty to hold her husband, whereas no middle-aged wife cares a rap whether her husband has lost his figure and his hair if he is good and kind to her.

Of course, no woman every really enjoys knowing that she presents an ridiculous comparison, so far as pulchritude goes, with her husband, and that strangers always wonder how he came to pick her out, but what of it? All that matters is that she suits him and if he is satisfied with her it is nobody else's business. Probably the husband has sense enough to realize that a homely wife is less selfish, less exacting and more comfortable to live with than a beauty would be. Most middle-aged men are not romantic and they would rather eat on a well-cooked dinner than feast their eyes on a bathing beauty.

Furthermore, there is this for your comfort: Few men ever take a really good look at their wives after they are married and so they do not perceive the changes in them. You often hear a man who married a slim little flapper still call her "little girl" after she weighs 190. The chances are that you look just as good to your husband now as you did on your wedding day.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—My boy friend keeps asking me where my father is. I tell him that he is dead. My parents are divorced. Shall I tell him the whole truth? D. L.

Answer: Of course. Evidently he suspects that there is something wrong and he probably imagines it to be something far worse than it is. It is always a mistake to make a mystery about your personal affairs. It sets people guessing and they always guess the worst thing possible.

There is no disgrace in being divorced.

DOROTHY DIX.

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ALBERNI VOTE  
FAVORS SWEEPS

Special to The Times  
Alberni, Jan. 21—A lively discussion John public sweepstakes as a means of the West Coast Hospital at the annual meeting of the board of directors. Mrs. Arnold Hanna entertained with two tables of bridge Thursday evening in aid of the women's auxiliary to the hospital when the invited guests present were Mrs. R. H. Prescott, Dr. A. D. Morgan and Mrs. C. A. Manning, re-elected, and one new member, A. C. Macfie. A comprehensive report of the year's activities was submitted by the president, Mr. Prescott, and the secretary, G. Pearce. Among those who took part in the controversy were Rev. Glen Morrison, Rev. A. McLean, H. Burde, Major R. J. Burde and Mayor J. R. Motion. A decision was put the question to a vote and resulted in a majority of more than two to one in favor, twenty-four voting for and ten against.

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SKY-ROADS

DOWN THROUGH THE NIGHT DRIFTED SKID MALLORY, MINING THE BLACK BAG OF BONDS WHICH HAD BEEN JERKED FROM HIS GRAP WHEN HIS CHUTE INHALED THE OZONE?

THIS AIN'T GONNA BE NO PICNIC THIS—I'M TELLIN' ME, AND I DO GIT DOWN AND WITHOUT A PRECIPUS' ER SOMETHIN'—TH' GANG'LL NEVER BELIEVE I LOST THAT BAG OF BONDS!

DOWN WENT THE BLACK BAG—THE LOOT WHICH SKID HAD HAULED ON THE AIRLiner AT POINT OF PISTOL—

GUARDING THE LOWER LADS CRUSHERS—BLACK VULTURE

SKID OUGHTA HAVE THAT SWAP IN 'F' I GUESS I'LL CLIMB AND JUMP SIDELINE → I SEE TH' LINER'S LIGHTS ABOVE ME—

DOWN WENT THE BLACK BAG—THE LOOT WHICH SKID HAD HAULED ON THE AIRLiner AT POINT OF PISTOL—

MURDERING MONKEYS? WHAT'S THAT?

CRASH!

BOSS?

SKYROADS FLYING CLUB ANSWER TO LAST QUESTION

DEAR H. J. THE BOSS' OF A PROPELLER CENTER TO WHICH THE BLADES ARE ATTACHED AND WHICH IS ATTACHED TO THE REMOVING SHAFT BY WHICH IT IS DRIVEN—

PROPS?

TO BE CONTINUED

ASKED BY H. SHERWOOD

# Crew Rescued From Sinking Ship After Four Lost Overboard

## PILOTS' LOOKOUT

Marie Bakke, passed Victoria, 8:25 a.m. President Jefferson, sailed from Seattle 4:30 p.m.; due Victoria 4 p.m. to sail for Orient ports 6 p.m.

Emma Alexander, sailing from Seattle 5 p.m.; due Victoria 10 p.m. to sail for California ports midnight.

Bradfayne, due Race Rocks, bound Vancouver, 7 p.m., to sail from Victoria, for West Coast ports, 11 p.m.

Gracia, due Victoria, from United Kingdom, Sunday a.m.

## CAPTAIN OFF DOOMED SHIP

Leave Lumber Schooner Tiverton to Be Broken Up By Seas on Humboldt Bar

Eureka, Calif., Jan. 21.—The last to leave his stricken ship, Capt. Adolin Ahlin, skipper of the lumber schooner Tiverton, which went aground near Humboldt bar early yesterday, came to Eureka in the evening for rest after eighteen hours of tireless work in an effort to save the cargo of the craft.

Capt. Ahlin remained on the stranded boat until he was ordered to abandon it by coast guards. Nearly exhausted from hunger and cold, he followed the sixteen members of his crew ashore.

The doomed ship was rocking easily in frothy combers 250 feet off shore this morning. The cabin six feet of water, the engine room, deck and saloon accommodations were torn away.

Adolin, third officer, sprang to his hatch. Water also leaked in No. 3 hatch. Rigged up emergency steering gear.

Then there was silence and the fate of the remaining men on the freighter remained in doubt, while seamen aboard the American Merchant bent their backs to the remains.

An indication that the sea was running too high to permit the launching of lifeboats came in the next message from the American Merchant, which said:

"Exeter City reports sinking rapidly. Am alongside. High seas. Using line-gunning gun."

There was more silence, while the battle with the elements and the attempt to shoot a line over the sinking freighter continued.

Finally out of the silence came these tapped-out words:

"Shot line aboard Exeter City. Towed lifeboat over. Endeavoring to get crew aboard for last hour."

Half the fight had been won.

Nearly an hour later further dots of water came from the engine room, deck and saloon lost. No 2 hatch stove in. Water also leaked in No. 3 hatch. Rigged up emergency steering gear."

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Steamship Exeter City abandoned in sinking condition. Settling rapidly. Dangerous to navigation."

For many minutes the fate of the Exeter City's crew remained still in doubt, and then came the words that wrote:

"Two men composing crew of Exeter City aboard. Rescue made in heavy seas. Extended our number three lifeboats. Vessel abandoned sinking condition. Settling rapidly. Advise Bristol City Lines, Bristol, England."

It was apparent from that message, sent by Captain Stedman, that all remaining persons on the freighter had been saved, although the total number in the crew originally had been reported as thirty.

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VICTORIA, B.C., SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 1933

# Wind-cutting Stream Lines On New Cars Make For Greater Speed

New York Show Reveals Changes in Body Designs For 1933 Automobiles and Mechanical Advances That Will Tempt The Public As Never Before To Buy



Front-end, wind-cutting designs of some of the models at the New York show.

By PAUL HARRISON  
Special to The Victoria Daily Times

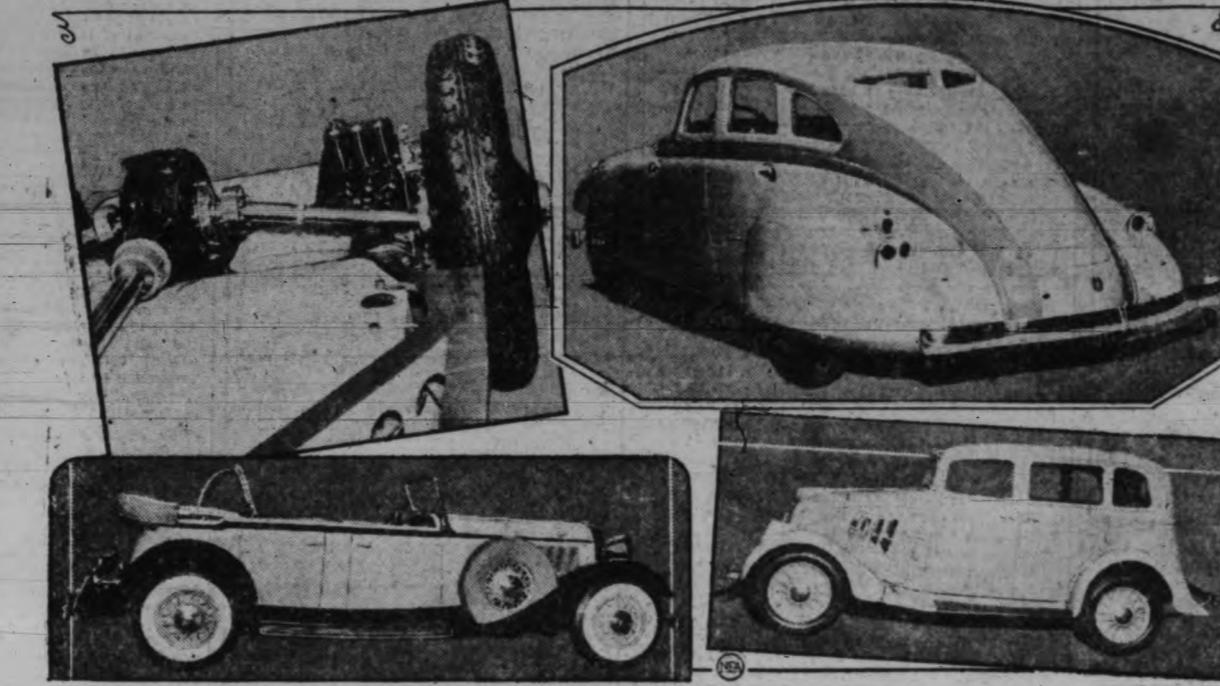
NEW YORK—A little longer, lower and wider; a little sleeker, faster and quieter; easier to buy and easier to drive—that's your new car for 1933.

Thirty-five makes, including some 300 different models, are being displayed at the National Automobile Show in New York. And practically every one of them bears out the industry's New Year resolution to tempt the so-called "buying public" with unprecedented values. Once they set their minds to it, engineers and designers revealed a remarkable unanimity of opinion about what it takes to make a really good car. Line for line, piston for piston, most of these models are so much alike that they almost might have come from the same factory.

Mechanical standardization is no less apparent than outward resemblance. You can count on your fingers the models that do not have the new bulging slanted fronts that slant forward at the bottom, in cowlcatcher fashion. Most of these fronts present a formidable expanse of chromium, that bright boon to automotive trade. They are all falsehood, however, for behind them are old-fashioned vertical radiators.

PUBLIC NOT READY FOR PERFECT STREAMLINES

The leading edges of front fenders are very broad, and dish down together to form a graceful apron. Back of the wheels the fenders are skirted, or carried down vertically on the sides, to lessen air resistance. These developments, together with a graceful but ineffectual fillip at the rear, are all the visible changes that have been made in the name of streamlining.



Dubonnet's novel wheel suspension and universal-jointed drive shafts are shown at upper left. Pierce Arrow's "Golden Arrow," upper right, is super-streamlined. Lower left is a jaunty Lincoln phaeton, and at right is the new stream-lined car of a popular make in the low-priced class.

Manufacturers know how to make perfectly stream-lined cars, but they also know that the public would not immediately welcome such a freakish-looking change.

Colors are about the same this year—mostly solid pastels and dark blues, but with less contrasting striping than before. Chromium is applied rather lavishly. Wire wheels are rivaled by a new steel type stamped and painted to resemble wooden spokes.

Inside, your new 1933 car will be pleasantly free from much of the ostentatious gadgetry of other years. Scientific seems to have realized that papa is going to choose the family car in this year of the depression, and that he isn't going to be swayed by silly tassels or trick ash receivers or built-in beauty kits. No, he is going to look at the innards.

Higher speeds and heavier traffic have brought further improvements in braking. Power brakes are standard on several of the more costly cars. Actuated either mechanically or by vacuum, they act with the slightest pressure of the foot. Super-balloon tires, presenting about four times more surface to the road, called for easier steering, and engineers have risen to the occasion with a "Pitman arm that moves

revolutionary developments are offered. All models have something resembling floating power, although not necessarily using the Chrysler group's original two-point suspension. Compression is increased, and engines now turn over at 3,500 to 4,500 r.p.m. Crankshafts and bearings are a little heavier; plated iron pistons seem to be replacing aluminum ones.

Some starters are dash-controlled, but many operate automatically when you step on the accelerator. The latter system works when there is no vacuum in the manifold; but as soon as the engine fires, and a vacuum is created, the starter is disengaged.

Incidentally, most instrument panels are much less bewilderingly complicated this year. Choke, ride control and spark knobs are vanishing with the adoption of automatic operation. And in many cars the various indicators have been compactly grouped into a couple of large and easily-read dials.

Flexible engine mountings have made necessary the strengthening of frames, but the weight of the average car has not been increased. Electric welding, now in general use, is responsible for greater strength all round, and should give a lot more rigidity to bodies. Bodies are a little longer, on the average, although wheel-

bases have not been lengthened in proportion. They are wider, too, as designers learn to build out over the wheels in conformation with new ideas in streamlining.

With Ford absent, as usual, from the New York auto show, there are only three four-cylinder cars on the 1933 market. They are Continental, Willys and the diminutive Austin.

STREAMLINES ENTER LOWER-PRICE FIELD

Willys' brand new line, incidentally, deserves mention as the only radical new design in the low-priced field. Both the four and six are rather startlingly streamlined, with headlights built into the fenders, a la Pierce Arrow. Curiously enough it is a Pierce Arrow model—the Golden Arrow—that is the only ultra-streamlined car of the top-price class.

Dubonnet, a French make, introduces some interesting new mechanical developments. Every wheel is slung separately, with its own spring assembly in a block. There are no leaf springs, axles or shock absorbers. The company doesn't expect to sell many cars in this country, but it is trying to sell its patents to American manufacturers.



Body designs of some of the new 1933 models.

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# What It Would Be Like To Live In A Technocratic World!

"Energy Certificates" Would Replace Wages For 16 Hours' Weekly Toil

What your everyday life would be in a Technocratic world is described in the following article—the sixth in a series being published by The Victoria Daily Times.

By PAUL HARRISON

TECHNOCRACY has attracted widespread public attention because, together with its propaganda of panic, its scientific data on our machine age and its forecast of national control by engineers, there has been woven a vision of a marvelous new civilization—an era of leisure, of culture and of plenty.

Of course the movement does not bilities, and take a few weeks' vacation with the compliments of Technocracy. Read the works of H. G. Wells. Or, if you prefer, twiddle your thumbs. As soon as we can get around to assigning you a job, you'll be called in. If you were a big shot under the price system, and used to be, don't worry about having to work in a machine shop. We now have organizers and managers, and you'll have a chance to show your stuff. Also, you'll still have plenty of time for golf."

NICHE FOR EVERYONE

First they contemplate a breakdown of the economic system, and an invitation to Technocracy to take control. During a state of near-chaos, the engineers plan to say to all productive workers: "Go back to your jobs, or to the jobs you used to have. Fire up your boilers if there are materials to work with. Otherwise stand by and we'll get materials for you."

You won't be paid for a while. But take comfort from the fact that you can't go into debt, either. Nobody will come around to collect your rent, or to dun you for old bills. Your debts are all cancelled and your dollars are good only as souvenirs.

You won't eat truffles, or wear new overcoats until our system gets into operation. But our national surpluses of goods are to be distributed immediately, and will tide you over until that day."

JOBS FOR MANAGERS

THEN to the so-called unproductive workers—the lawyers, clerks, bankers, salesmen and the like. The Technocrats plan to say:

"Jobs are paid in 'energy certificates' and all products are priced in terms of the machine energy required to produce them. This currency is valid only for a stated time, say a year.

Register your names, list your capa-



The Technocrat's vision . . . More hours of leisure in a highly mechanized "robot world" . . . (Photo by John Mudd; the Midvale Co.)

and thus when presented by the person to whom it was issued. This scheme is expected to do away with private enter-

prise; also with graft and, to a large extent, with crime.

together, represents the total amount of energy which scientists calculate way, everything produced will be used in the production of com-

Psychologists Would Assign Work and Everyone Would Retire After 45

state are divided equally among laborers, executives and scientists alike. This is not because Technocrats think they are no more valuable than garbage collectors, but because they believe it would require too much energy, at first, to make a more equitable distribution. In time, all persons may be classified into different salary groups so that there will be an incentive for advancement. Even the lowest worker, however, will have a standard of living equal to about a \$10,000 income under the old system.

RECREATION TO FORE

HANDICRAFT of all sorts is staging a renaissance. The state is encouraging it by selling materials and opening schools. Thousands of persons are going in for art, music and writing. New educational facilities and plenty of spare time have sent other thousands of adults back to school.

The reason is, of course, that leisure has created a major social problem. Concerts, theatres and galleries are crowded by millions. There has been a tremendous interest in sports of all kinds and in all major branches there are several professional leagues on the government payroll.

SEE END TO MAJOR CRIMES

ROBBERY and commercial graft have been wiped out, since there is no longer any negotiable money to steal. Social crime admittedly is on the increase, for so much leisure is a temptation to mischief. Work-slacking and favoritism in assigning jobs are problems for better control. Punishment for minor offences takes the form of longer working hours.

Churches are gratified by the turn of Technocratic events, and find their congregations growing. Politics, although concerned only with minor elections and foreign policy, are hotly contested. There is still considerable concern about national defense, although the other principal powers, including the new United States of Europe, are on the verge of going Technocratic. The men of our army and navy, as well as those of a few other day-and-night occupations, are getting their share of leisure in the form of four-year furloughs after every two years of service.

The foreground is a glimpse into a Technocratic idea of Utopia, and is based on the unofficial speculations of a few members of the movement. They themselves admit that reality might be very different from their vision.

Next Saturday: Technocracy's critics, and Its Defence.



# BOOKS OF THE DAY



## Brilliant This Biography of Mary, Queen of Scots, Most Fascinating Woman, Yet, Most Malignant.

ONCE more Mary Queen of Scots rises above the literary horizon. She about whom so many books have been written, the most fascinating, the most maligned woman who ever lived, is described with consummate skill and sympathy by Herbert Gorman, American man-of-letters in "The Scottish Queen." Mr. Gorman knows that in writing this biography he has to thresh out a good deal of old straw, but instead of apologizing for making a new life of the Scottish Cleopatra, he claims that the story can never be retold too often, for her life is one of the few universal stories that every biographer can tell in his own way.

"She is the great romantic subject," he declares. "In the span of her short life (and remember that she was only twenty-five when she fled across the Border into Queen Elizabeth's back parlor) is to be found splendor, love, fear, murder, flight, battle, conspiracy, passion, persecution, incarceration and sudden and horrible death. What subject-matter for vivid romantic writing! She struggled gallantly against great odds. Her courage and perseverance were inspired. Her worldly defeat was really a spiritual vindication. The modesty of her gestures in a mediaeval setting was extraordinary. She might have lived yesterday or to-day. She is a constant and absorbing subject and her story cannot be told too many times."

### MUCH ABOUT THE PERIOD IN THIS BOOK

MR. GORMAN has done well to choose this old subject, for he has outdistanced all biographers of the unfortunate Mary, both in the careful researches he has made in state documents, Scotch, English, French and Spanish, in rare pamphlets and out-of-print volumes, critical studies and fine-spun theories, and in the manner in which he has organized his material and the picturesque style in which he has laid it before the reader. Not since I read the new "Life of Henry VIII" by the brilliant Irish writer, Francis Hackett, have I been so impressed by the immense research of a biographer. And Mr. Gorman, who also has Celtic magic in his style, reminds me of Mr. Hackett in the way in which he lets us into the history of the period of which he treats. Place-recreations are one of Mr. Hackett's excellencies in writing biography, and Mr. Gorman admits that he has done his best in this respect also.

"I have garnished my facts," he says, "with what I have seen and felt in Europe, Scotland and England. It has always been my endeavor to inject a great deal of background, of color, of contemporary living, into the books I write about famous people. I do not believe that any historical character can be properly portrayed unless there is about as much of the period in the book as there is of the character. It is our knowledge of the era that gives us our clue to the reactions of the subjects of biographies. You cannot present a character in a vacuum or from the one-sided view of his personal documents and make him real. In laboring to present Mary Stewart, again I found it necessary to familiarize myself with the political and daily life in France, England and Scotland between the years 1540 and 1590."

### A KING'S DYING PROPHET

ALTHOUGH MR. GORMAN insists that he has been careful not to imitate certain modern biographers in putting invented speeches into the mouths of his leading and subordinate characters, he has used his imagination in painting for us dramatic scenes. One of the chief charms of this work is his description of all sorts of scenes from pitched battles to lonely flights across dark moors. Here is his picture of James V, Mary's father, as he lay dying in the royal castle of Falkland: "The shirks blair of December howled about the gloomy castle and the cresses flared in the long corridors and vast halls lifting the moth-eaten tapestries, but James was aware of nothing but his own anguish. Rings of light about the royal bed . . . his bed-servants . . . and the corbels croaking in the battlements. A host of misty shadows moving before darkening eyes as ghostly mists move over the bitter gray stretches of the North Sea. A king . . . dying. It was while he was in this semi-comatose condition that furious riders arrived at Falkland one day bearing the tidings that the Queen had been delivered of a child at Linlithgow. It had come into the world on the eighth of December. Friday's child! James lifted haunted eyes to the messenger's face.

" . . . a fair girl . . . sound in limb . . . and . . . her face seemed to crumble into ashes and he turned it to the wall."

"The devil go with it!" he moaned. "I came with a lass and it will go with a lass."

"He was thinking of his unruly kingdom of Scotland that had come to the unfortunate Stuarts through marriage with Margery Bruce. The devil go with it, indeed. He was as weary of his kingdom as he was weary of his life."

### MARY BEARDED BY JOHN KNOX

ONE of the most dramatic scenes in Mary's life was her first meeting with John Knox (he says he was a monomaniac and therefore organically insane). I cannot but admire this graphic etching of the two principals in one of the most famous debates that history records: "Master John Knox, stepping somewhat slowly at the heels of the Lord James, entered the audience-chamber and paused near the door. Lifting his swarthy face he directed his fierce black eyes about the room, noting and dismissing from his mind the two young women in rippling French silk who stood in a window embrasure, and finally fixed them upon the young queen, who, garmented in black velvet and with her chestnut hair netted, sat in a huge chair near the great fireplace. With grim curiosity he studied her face, her pale complexion, her lips heightened by cosmetic, her long eyes, and her aquiline nose. The faint scent of perfume reached his nostrils and he wrinkled his features. Then he straightened himself, a stark figure in the rusty gown, and waited, stroking softly the long beard that puffed like a dirty water-fall over his breast. Mary lowered her head briefly when the Lord James said: 'Master John Knox,' and then lifted it with a decisive gesture. She would not waste time in amenities, for she sensed the feeling of superior contempt in this silent figure before her."

### A QUEEN'S MAD NINETY-MILE RIDE

ANOTHER fine example of Mr. Gorman's descriptive power is to be found in his account of the Queen's flight from the lost lands of Lancashire, when she rode ninety-odd miles on horseback to seek refuge in England; there to throw herself upon the mercy of her cousin Elizabeth. "Night was falling over Scotland," writes our author, "and a dismayed queen was fleeing for her life. From the valley of the Nith the swift hoof-beats carried them on to Dumfries. They were still more than fifty miles from Langside Field now, but still the Scottish queen desired to press on and so they proceeded to Dundrennan Abbey. There, exhausted, covered with dust, hungry and half-mad with despair, she halted

## Library Leaders

Local lending library book leaders for the week are rated in the following order by librarians at the Marionette Circulating Libraries:

### FICTION

THE NARROW CORNER, by Somerset Maugham.  
CHARMIAN LADY VIBART, by Jeffrey Farnol.  
THE HOUSE UNDER THE WATER, by Francis Brett Young.  
THE BISHOP'S JAEGER, by Thorne Smith.  
ANXIOUS DAYS, by Philip Gibbs.

### NON-FICTION

DEATH IN THE AFTERNOON, by Ernest Hemingway.  
BLOODY YEARS, by Major Yeate-Brown.  
LANCES DOWN, by Richard Boleslavsky.  
THE FLYING CARPET, by Richard Halliburton.  
NURE MAHAL, by Harold Lamb.

Leaders at Hibben's Lending Library:  
FORGIVE US OUR TRESPASSES, by Lloyd C. Douglas.

FLOWERING WILDERNESS, by Galworthy.  
LIFE CHANGERS, by Harold Begbie.  
SMITH, by Warwick Deeping.

PROMENADE DECK, by Ishbel Ross.

NARROW CORNER, by Somerset Maugham.

BEYOND CONTROL, by Rex Beach.

MAGNIFICENT OBSESSION, by Lloyd C. Douglas.

THE FLYING COMET, by Richard Halliburton.

and strove to reassemble her distraught reason. She knew that she could not reach Dumbarton Castle without being captured. She knew, also, that her defiance had been smashed to pieces, that she could not hope to raise another army, that Huntley was too far away to be of any help to her. There was but one direction in which she could turn, one sense of safety in which she would be free of the clutching hands of Moray and Morton. That direction was south and that zone lay across the waters of the Solway, England! She would go into England and fling herself upon the mercy of her dear cousin Elizabeth. Lord Herries expostulated violently. She was a good Roman Catholic and she must not trust heretics. She was safe in her country and he would answer for her life. She must wait until a ship was ready to carry her to France or pain. Dumbarton was not lost; Huntley had the indignant north behind him; the Scots, the Kerrs, the Maxwells, the Grahams of Lochinvar still would lift swords in her defense. Mary shook her head. England. England. England. The thought became an obsession and she sent young George Douglas down to the Solway to arrange for a fishing boat that would transport her to the territory of the "auld enemy."

### WAS THE QUEEN ACCESSORY AFTER THE FACT?

IT is apparent to every reader that Mr. Gorman is a partisan of Mary. He admits that she was deceptive and passionate, but he admits candidly that emotionally he believes the Scottish queen was innocent of atrocious criminal intent. She was a flesh-and-blood woman. An aching affection for Bothwell thrilled every nerve of her body, but Mr. Gorman does not think she had a hand in helping him to murder her husband, Lord Darnley. In discussing this question he has a good deal to say about the famous Casket letters. The authenticity of the eight letters which Lord Moray charged were written by Mary to Bothwell has been debated by scholars for over a century and a half. Mr. Gorman has printed these eight letters as an appendix to this volume. It is, he thinks, impossible to prove that Queen Mary did not write these letters to her lover, Bothwell, before her husband was murdered. "Elaborate theories have been reared and smashed. State documents, ambassadorial letters, memoirs, depositions and private correspondence have been ransacked by ambitious and dogged researchers and theorists in the febrile hope of discovering a hint, a date, a phrase that would throw new light on the most question as to whether or not Mary was preconizing of her husband's assassination, if she played a part in it, or if she was the victim of a monstrous conspiracy. To Froude her guilt was as plain as the nose on his face; to Hosack her innocence was as obvious as her beauty. Andrew Lang arrived at the conclusion that the maddening problem was unsolvable. General Mahon convinced himself that Darnley's death was the indirect result of a Counter-Reformation that had selected as its victim the tolerance-minded Scottish queen. Hume, Laing, Hill Burton, Mignet, Hay Fleming and T. F. Henderson were certain that Mary was guilty. Goodall, Chalmers, William Tytler, Whitaker, Agnes Strickland, Alex. Walker, McNeil-Caird and Mahon were equally certain of her innocence. She was a friend, she was an angel! She was a murderous tyrant, she was a tortured sacrifice."

Well, read this whole book and decide for yourself what you think of Mary Queen of Scots. In spite of Mr. Gorman's sympathetic story of her sad life, I get the impression that she was no better than Elizabeth. Had their situations been reversed, I have a feeling that Mary would not have spared Elizabeth as long as Elizabeth spared her—W. T. ALLISON.

## Quoting

WE FIGHT a war for peace and straightway plunge into an orgy of war-breeding nationalism.

—Dr. Glenn Frank, president of the University of Wisconsin.

EVERYONE WHO KNOWS IRISHMEN LIKES THEM.

—The Prince of Wales.

THE WORLD is suffering from its sick hurry and it is reflected in its poetry as well as its prose.

—Alfred Noyes, English poet.

THE GREAT number of missionaries are men and women so lacking in imagination or so limited in capacity or so narrow in outlook as to make us question seriously whether they are leaders or of substantial and enduring value to the missionary cause.

—Dr. Frederic Woodward, vice-president, University of Chicago.

ALAS! WITH FLEAS AS WITH MEN—ARTISTS GROW SCARCE!

—Professor Hubert, producer of famous flea circus.

THE GOVERNMENT is controlled by organized minorities.

—Henry T. Rainey.

ALAS! WE GO TO LEND MONEY TO A FORMER ENEMY,

—Louis Marin, French deputy, opposing League of Nations loan to Austria.

## This Soldier of Fortune—Gen. "One-arm" Sutton—B.C. Knew Him Well

GENERAL F. A. SUTTON, with his pockets and valises bulging with Chinese gold, arrived here in the final year of the late lamented prosperity era. He bought a gulf island not far from Victoria for a country estate. Vancouver's largest office building for a business establishment, and a string of race-horses for diversion. Politicians took to him like bees to honey. He was very big news here in those days. Then when he began to drift to the inside pages of the newspapers and find himself under only the small headlines, he set out on an exploratory trip in northern British Columbia, during which he succeeded in getting himself mysteriously lost for some days. He was restored to the front page with flash headlines, and returned to the big city unharmed.

By the time the depression got well under way the general and his affairs were pretty much on the wane here. About three months ago he passed through Victoria on his way to the Orient. Now comes the story of his life, written by himself and published by the Viking Press, under the title, "One-Arm Sutton." In this he reveals himself as a general in the army of the soldiers of fortune. He records his Gallipoli war experiences, then his ventures in Siberia, upon which he embarked to escape the monotony of the post-war years in the western world. This led him into his Chinese ventures with himself in the role of right-hand man and financial adviser to some of the Chinese war lords.

His publishers announce he concluded arrangements for the publication of his book three months ago and then went to China to build up a business enterprise through which he would sell a combination of life insurance, coffins and lottery tickets to the Chinese.

It all makes grand reading. The one-armed general knows how to tell his story as capably as he knew how to get the limelight. The book is receiving the commendation of the best critics of popular literature. The general says 95 per cent of what he has written in it is true.—KENNETH DRURY.

## Movies Busy Looking For Better Plots

NEW AND better story material for use in motion pictures is one of the great needs of the industry to-day. John E. Otterson writes in a symposium called "Modern Communication" published by Houghton Mifflin. As a director in a dozen electrical equipment-making companies, president of Electrical Research Products Inc., and a director of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, Mr. Otterson is one of the new powers in motion pictures.

He says that the introduction of sound into pictures had as perhaps its most significant effect the broadening of the range and scope of the motion-picture art, making available a new supply of story material and a new group of artists in the field that had become jaded with the old.

"Stories that could not be told silently can be told audibly," he writes, "and when one knows that the motion-picture industry makes use of 600 full-length stories a year, and to obtain this number it considers from 40,000 to 30,000 stories one can appreciate how important it is to bring about a broadening of the field from which these stories may be selected."

It is difficult to estimate the value to future generations of the record thus formed of the teachings and techniques of great doctors and surgeons or of the influence on public health of the graphic presentation of lectures on hygiene and sanitation.

The other chapters in this book are "Social Aspects of Communication Development," by Arthur W. Page; "An Introduction to Research in the Communication Field," by Dr. H. D. Arnold, director of research at the Bell Telephone Laboratories; "Research in Speech and Hearing," by Dr. Harvey Fletcher; "Trans-Oceanic Radio-Television," by Ralph Brown; "Utilizing the Results of Fundamental Research in the Communication Field," by Frank B. Jewett, vice-president of the American and Telephone and Telegraph Company, and "Picture Transmission and Television," by Dr. Herbert S. Ives, electro-optical research director, Bell Telephone Laboratories.

THE CHINESE proverb to the effect that one picture is worth 10,000 words is proved true when the extent to which American motion pictures have made their influence felt throughout the world is realized, he says. He believes that this influence will become stronger, that the future will be profoundly affected by the growth of this medium.

There has been perhaps no more graphic and impressive application of talking pictures than in the field of medicine and surgery," he writes. "There can be nothing more vivid than the motion-picture portrayal of the work of the skilled hands of a great surgeon, nothing more educational than his running comment on the work of his hands.

Here is a record which the medical student can examine as minutely and as frequently as may be necessary for his training, and which can be made available to medical schools throughout the world in this day and in the years to come.

## Never Too Old to Write

IT IS never too old to take to authorship. That thought must console thousands of busy people who keep postponing the day on which they mean to start writing "that book."

Many middle-aged men spend most of their time engaged on their work and who say that "when they retire" they have decided to write the story of all time.

Sir James Crichton-Browne, the famous physician, was ninety-two years old recently. He is hard at work on another book of reminiscences.

From Vienna comes word that Sigmund Freud, whose works on psycho-analysis have been perhaps one of the greatest influences on the post-war period, will soon have another book on sale. The title will be "A New Series of Introductory Lectures on Psycho-Analysis." One chapter is devoted to a "Revision of the Dream Theory," and another to "Religion, Marxism and Bolshevism."

Professor Freud is aged seventy-seven years.

## Best Sellers

Book leaders in the sales list for the week stand in the following order, according to returns from the book trade across the country:

### FICTION

THE LAST ADAM, by James G. Cozzens.

BEAUTY, by Paul Baldwin.

THE BRIGHT LAND, by Janet Fairbank.

HUMAN BEING, by Christopher Morley.

BACHELOR'S BOUNTY, by Grace Richmond.

ANXIOUS DAYS, by Sir Philip Gibbs.

WHISPERING WILDERNESS, by John Galworthy.

FORGIVE US OUR TRESPASSES, by Lloyd C. Douglas.

THE NARROW CORNER, by W. Somerset Maugham.

FAREWELL, MISS JULIE LOGAN, by J. M. Barrie.

CHARMIAN LADY VIBART, by Jeffrey Farnol.

THE HOUSE UNDER THE WATER, by Francis Brett Young.

INVITATION TO THE WALTZ by Rosamond Lehmann.

PETER ASHLEY, by Du Bois Heyward.

FAMILY HISTORY, by V. Sackville-West.

MUTINY ON THE BOUNTY, by James N. Hall and Charles Hordernoff.

LIGHT IN AUGUST, by William Faulkner.

THE BISHOP'S JAEGER, by Thorne Smith.

JOSEPHUS, by Leon Feuchtwanger.

THE FORTRESS, by Hugh Walpole.

THE FOUNTAIN, by Charles Morgan.

INHERITANCE, by Phyllis Bentley.

# Viennese-German Songs Become Vogue Overnight in "Music In The Air;" Ina Claire Returns to Stage in "Biography," Most Brilliant New Play



Katherine Spector . . . enchanting in "Music in the Air"

By GILBERT SWAN

NEW YORK—The Viennese-German type of popular operetta, filling with lifting waltz tunes and charmingly refreshing love songs, has become a musical vogue over night.

Even George Gershwin, who seemed to have dedicated his life to syncopation and dissonances, has gone to work on such a score. One hears that he will have a music show filled with Teutonic Stein songs—perhaps in time to catch up with the future beer parades, if any.

But it's Jerome Kern, that fabulously versatile fellow who can turn out a "Show Boat," a "Cat and the Fiddle" or a "Sweet Adeline," who comes along and presents a "Music in the Air." Do not rush; it will be here when the first crocus bursts through the ground!

Seemingly, Kerns comes from the same never-never land as Peter Pan, and though the calendar puts his age well beyond the heyday, he goes on turning out the most delightful musical pieces that New York hears during any season. To his credit, for instance, it may be recorded that "Show Boat" was revived after many a year to win as great applause as ever. In "Music in the Air," Kern seems more youthful than ever; there is laughter and love and gaiety and even Reinhard Werrenrath in this piece. Actors half sing and half recite their lines and the Munich music flows charmingly along.

IT HAS been the good fortune of Miss Peggy Fears and her husband, A. C. Blumenthal, to fall heir to this piece. The late Flo Ziegfeld had ordered it and was preparing to put it on when stricken. Miss Fears, attractive



Finette Walker . . . also helps you to hear "Music in the Air"

feminine producer who has already had a couple of plays in "the big street," took it over.

Quite outside the merits which will warble for themselves, this new Alpine-Munich-Bavarian-Viennese invasion is something to check down for future reference. There is going to be a return of the Lehar, Friml, Strauss school of things in even a lighter vein. The recent German picture imports have not been without their influence.

The book, out of Oscar Hammerstein the second, follows an old pattern, but is filled with refreshingly new episodes and asides. On the surface it is

the old story of musical folk from the mountains who wander into Munich, meet old friends and stumble into great fortune only to learn that they are, after all, yokels and had best go home. Meanwhile a girl and a boy have adventures which all but upset their love life.

THE OTHER good news is that Ina Claire is now definitely back in the theatre. She has been absent for some five years in the Hollywood belt, where she became one of the screen's most important players. Recently she decided to return to the theatre and came east to be starred in a play which has had uncertain experiences in out-of-town tryouts. She walked out of the cast and the Theatre Guild waited around the corner with a contract to sign. And there is much rejoicing and hat-tossing at the return of the long-lost sister.

If not a fatted calf, at least one of the fattest parts to be found on Broadway awaited her: a role that seemed to have been made for her special



Ina Claire, who went to Hollywood for a fling in the flickers, has been won back to the Broadway stage.

playing and a performance which does much to drag this lethargic season out of its many yawny moments.

All this is due to that young playwright, S. N. Behrman, who now must be conceded a place among our smartest, wisest and most adult playwrights. He has been turning out shrewd and barbed comedies for several seasons, each showing a growth in skill—from the erratic super-egotist in "Metron" to the chatty smart-talk of "Brief Moment," to the latest and best, titled "Biography." This, incidentally, is the Theatre Guild's most amusing product since "Re-union, in Vienna."

SINCE Behrman is more inclined to write characters and situations than plots, more inclined to turn the neatest of phrases and the aperçus of epigrams than to build action, his stories become difficult to outline unless one takes an idea at a time, or a type as created in the characters.

The play gets its name from a self-story which is being written by a charming young artist, played by Miss Claire, who has become something of a woman of the world. She has painted the portraits of Mussolini, Shaw and Stalin, has been involved in gay amours over the map, and has been written about in the scandal sheets. She is nimble of wit; takes her loves as lightly as her tea; and has grown mellow, tolerant and "civilized."

And so, into her New York studio come a parade of folk who represent vastly conflicting types of thought and background, thus giving the author an opportunity of tossing his feathered arrows and his orchids at this and that in American and continental life. There is a Viennese musician, a swarthy and life-loving playboy who has grown grey and can laugh at the gay musician friend.

Naturally, Broadway is trying to guess what young woman artist the playwright had in mind. Offhand, she appears to be a composite of several. And "Biography" is quite the most grown-up comedy of the year.



"Just a wife" is what Lillian Roth, actress, desires to be, she said, when announcing her retirement from the stage to marry young Judge Benjamin Shafeck of New York. They are shown above. She was granted a Mexican divorce last spring from William Scott, Pittsburgh aviator.

human comedy. He is an old playmate of the artist and is on his way to Hollywood to write tunes for the flickers. . . . There is the boy from the old home town, down south, who figured in early loves but who has sold himself and his life to ambitions, winding up in a tragically muddled state. He spouts senatorial bromides and oratorical nothings, while gnawing within from human emotions.

There is the ill-mannered, ill-tempered young editor with a chip on his shoulder for things as they are; with a martyr complex and a testy rebellion in his heart. It is he who signs the artist for her story and who falls in love with her, while she pours forth her maternal instinct. It is the old home-town boy, now on his way to the Senate, who fears that her story will "tell all" and contain reference to their young love. He threatens, browbeats and brings great pressure to stop the life story from the presses. Actually, although he never knows it, she had treated the episode with idyllic simplicity.

THE BOOK is never printed, nor does it appear as a magazine serial. She tears it up and tosses the words into the fire. The young editor previously had intended to use the story as a basis for his newest crusade. He was going to see it in type if he had to have it privately printed and distribute it himself.

But by destroying it, the artist ends all bickering and threatening. Meanwhile every male character in the cast has fallen in love with her. But she bids them all adieu and hops off to Hollywood on an assignment from her gay musician friend.

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## Suits In The Southern Mode



(From Lord and Taylor)

SUITS will be the thing for spring, a blouse of its own fabric, buttoned up in simple style with big pearl buttons. The dusty pink Mataloy crepe suit at left is tremendously becoming. It has several new features, including the way it buttons right up to the scarf collar and the way its long sleeves blouse over-tight cuffs which button shut with the same pearl buttons that fasten the front.

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## THIS DANCE IS ON TAP



(Practise to "I Would Do Anything for You.")

By ARTHUR MURRAY

The Lindy Hop, a dance recently adapted to the ballroom floor, is a favorite with smart young folks. Usually the very young like it best.

It originated in Harlem and retains its exuberance.

The outstanding feature of the Lindy Hop is a tap-step. This is how you do it, following the diagram, tapping your foot before you take each step designated on the diagram.

1. The man begins with his left foot

out tapping, pause for three counts and then repeat the Two-and-One tap two-step four times in succession without the long walking steps in between. This gives you four walking steps, one two-step with tapping, one long step without taps and a pause, then four tap two-steps in succession. Remember to tap on every two-step you take. Your music will soon teach you when your long walking steps come and when your short steps.

## SNOW CLAD



Pretty Natalie Hall, actress, is shown in a two-piece dark green knitted wool-skiing outfit which has a zipper slip-on jacket with vari-colored turtleneck collar and cuffs.

## PLAIDS AND CHECKS



PLAIDS, stripes and checks abound in southern cruise fashions, pointing to a spring of gaiety in clothes, if not in business.

Among the smartest of the new things comes a trim little suit for the jaunty yachting girl or for daytime southern wear or a day in Bermuda. A double-breasted, gold-buttoned, short-sleeved green-linen jacket tops a brilliant green plaid skirt; in two shades. There is a scarf of the same

crepe as the skirt and the hat is the green of the jacket.

For evening, linen is high fashion. Red and white line checked linen makes a youthful number for dancing. A demure cape covers the top of the frock, but don't be deceived. There's nothing to demure about the smart bathing suit harness back of the dress's decolletage. White gloves, white bag and a single enormous red bracelet fix the girl up for the time of her life.

# A PAGE FOR THE CHILDREN

## Walking Along The Street With His Sister Gets Skinny A Razzing

Jack Kids Skinny Because He Made His Sister Walk Behind Him When He Passed the Gang and When Skinny Wants to Fight Jack's Sister Comes Up and Gives Him Courage; Willie Thinks Sister Quite All Right to Walk With

By WILLIE WINKLE

Say, we had a swell one on Skinny this week. He wouldn't walk along the street with his own sister if he saw anyone coming.

You see it's this way. Skinny has a very pretty sister and he thinks plenty of her. You can't say anything against her; if you do, he'll smack you in the nose.

But the other afternoon Jack and I were walking along the other side of the street and we saw Skinny and his sister coming along. They were walking side-by-side and Skinny hadn't seen us. The minute he sees us he starts motioning to his sister, and he starts walking ahead and his sister drops behind. When we got up near him we shout out "hello" to him and he waves to us. After we'd got out of sight Skinny and his sister walked together.

The next day when we saw Skinny, Jack says, "Why don't you walk with your sister?"

"None of your business," says Skinny with a dirty look at Jack.

"Cut the bluff," says Jack, who ain't scared of Skinny, though he don't want a pike in the nose. "Suppose you're ashamed to be seen walking with your sister. I wouldn't blame you if she was ugly, but your sister is a swell looking kid."

"Ah, boloney," says Skinny, biting his lip, and he begins to look mad.

### CAN'T SHAKE BETTY

"I guess I'm with you, Skinny," I says. "Just the other day I had to go to the store with Betty and when I saw some of the gang I kind of felt funny walking with my sister and tried to get away from her, but you know shaking Betty would be worse than getting rid of the measles. It's funny we look on sisters that way."

"Yeh, and there's that sister of mine," says Jack. "Regular tomboy, can run faster than me, can climb fences, throw a ball like a bullet and skate rings round me on rollers. She laughs at me when I fall down, says I've got flat feet and should be a duck."

"I don't blame her for laughing at you, you muttonhead," says Skinny. "I should think your sister would be ashamed to walk down the street with you. You should have the dress on, not her."

"Is that so," says Jack.

"Yes, that's so," says Skinny. "and if you get more fresher I'll sock you."

"Just try it," says a new voice and it belongs to Jack's sister, who just came up on her roller skates with a hockey stick in her hands.

"Beg your pardon," says Skinny. "Come along, Jack, run along with sister and get your mother to tie your bib on."

### LETS GO A PEACH

Jack lets go his right fist and, bingo, right on Skinny's jaw and he goes rolling in the gutter. Boy, it was a peach.

Skinny just didn't know what hit him.

"Flat-feet, hey," says Jack.

### — THIS CURIOUS WORLD —



FOUR-HORNED SHEEP ARE FOUND ON THE ISLE OF MAN.



### BEDTIME STORY

#### Uncle Wiggily's Snowball Fight

By HOWARD R. GARIS

"Please, Lady Mouse quacked Lulu wibblewobble, the duck girl, as she stood up at her desk in the Hollow Stump School one day and raised her right wing. 'Please!'"

"Yes, Lulu, what is it?" squeaked Miss Mouse, the teacher.

"Do you think Uncle Wiggily will come to visit us today?" asked Lulu.

"Why do you want Uncle Wiggily to pay us another visit?" asked the Lady Mouse teacher as, with the end of her tail, she carefully wiped a bit of dust off the inkwell on her desk.

"Oh, it's such fun when Uncle Wiggily comes," said Kittle Kat, a pussy girl, for now it seemed that any one who wished might speak out in school.

"It was fun when we had the icicle game," barked Jackie Bow Wow.

"Oh, I know what's the matter, boys. Our new dog friend made too much noise, and rabbits are afraid of dogs," said Freezy, with a grin.

"However, I am sure this hound will not start chasing them around. He'll treat them right because of how real friendly we have been."

The big dog seemed to understand because it barked to beat the band. "Bring out one of the bunnies," exclaimed Scouty. "Right away!"

"You get it, Duney. Have no fear. It will be safe when it is here. If things work out as we expect, we'll have real fun today."

"Right to our sled he could be tied and then he'd take us for a ride." That's quite all right with me," the hunter answered, with a smile.

### THE TINY AMITES

Story by HAL COCHRAN Pictures by GEORGE SCARBO



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

### Auntie May's Corner

#### HOW THE WAVES EAT UP THE SHORE

We have had some very strong gales this winter and most of us remember the severe one on December 22 when the wind blew over seventy miles an hour and a tremendous sea was running off Dallas Road. The great waves broke the Ross Bay seawall and wrecked many boathouses. Where there was no seawall the big waves tore away the banks of clay in great chunks.

And so it is in many places, the big waves are encroaching on the shore and worrying people. I have just read about what is happening in New Brunswick which, they say, is sinking beneath the sea level, allowing ocean waves to encroach upon the land and wear it away. This process of subsidence, while rapid in a geographical sense, is not alarming. If the action continues it will be thousands of years before it need arouse any great concern. As a matter of fact, it is said, the whole of eastern North America and other parts of the world are changing in this manner.

Returning from trips along the Bay of Fundy and Northumberland Strait shores, Dr. William McIntosh, naturalist and director of the New Brunswick Museum, said he had seen surprising indications of the sea's conquest.

When Fort Monckton was built in 1751, the waters of Baie Verte were a short distance from this fortification. Now they have washed away one corner of the old fort and its eventual destruction seems assured unless humans engage in a fight against nature.

#### TWO FEET GO IN SIX YEARS

These conducted at one point of New Brunswick's coast showed that during six years the sea had eaten horizontally into the coast for a distance of one foot and eleven inches, or at the rate of almost four inches a year and thirty-three feet a century. These figures were said to be probably conservative for application to the coast as a whole, because the tests were made at a point more sheltered than many other parts of the shore.

The subsidence is particularly affecting central New Brunswick, said Dr. McIntosh. As one instance, the southern end of Grand Lake is falling in, taking with it earth and trees. The tide in Saint John River reaches a point farther than it ever has during the present lifetime of old inhabitants. A gradual sinking of the coast as a whole, because the tests were made at a point more sheltered than many other parts of the shore.

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Another example of inroads made by the sea may be seen at Courtenay Bay, merging into Saint John Harbor from the east where the teeth of strong Fundy tides are gradually gnawing away the great red clay bank known as Red Head. Inch by inch the headland is being washed away. During the last few years it is estimated, thousands of tons of earth with shrubs and trees have collapsed into the sea as a result of breakers undermining the clay embankment during heavy weather.

Although not in the lifetime of anyone now living, the day is coming when the headland will be completely erased, predicted Dr. McIntosh. "But it is a perfectly natural happening and it has been going on all over the world since the beginning of time," he added.

Almost from week to week, on the northeast flank of Red Head, large portions of the plateau crumble and fall into the sea. On the other side of a field topping the headland, a farmer finds that each year he has a smaller field. Dr. McIntosh believed the amount of earth eaten away each year depended largely upon the intensity of southwest gales.

Fortifications built at Red Head many years ago to guard the eastern side of Courtenay Bay appear doomed to destruction. Each year as the clay bank crumbles, the earthworks approach nearer the brink.

#### A GRATEFUL DOG

One of my readers has sent me the following story: "My brother had a frightfully ugly and valuable bulldog of whom I was mortally afraid. I was paralyzed with fright when he came near me. I happened to be left alone one very snowy day with this dog and a beautiful Gordon setter that I myself owned. The two dogs went out of doors and the setter frolicked gleefully in the snow, but the bulldog came in shivering and sick and weak. I knew my brother would have a fit if the dog died so I put pieces of blanket in the kitchen oven and let them get very hot and wrapped the dog in them, replacing them with hot ones when they cooled. I wrapped them tightly around him and rubbed him through them, and finally got him dry and warm."

"I almost fainted when he turned his great hanging jaw toward my hand but he only licked my wrist. From that day on he constituted himself my companion and protector. I think he would have killed anyone who molested me. I was a young girl and had to be much alone in a very lonely house surrounded by woods, so his protection was valuable. He watched everyone who even spoke to me. He seemed to take it for granted that my brother when he was at home could look after himself—I was the object of the dog's entire devotion."

"I have done much for human beings but found in no one of them such gratitude. The dog was radiant for hours if I touched his head as I passed by and he was happiest when he could sit close to my feet and watch me."

#### WHAT A TURKEY!

A butcher shop had an extra large turkey gobbler up for sale as a prospective customer walked in the store and asked about the bird. Mr. Turkey cocked his head, got an idea of what it was all about, and flew through the plate glass window. The bird caused \$200 damage before it was captured.

#### JUST CAREFUL



Mother: As soon as you're asleep the angels will come into your room to guard you.

Small Son: Oh, well, take my chocolates off the dressing table and put them under my pillow, please!

There is one automobile about Uncle Wiggily's rubber every seventy-one persons in habiting the earth.

### SIXTY-FIVE POUNDS OF TURKEY AND A FEW OUNCES OF BANTAM



These proud fowls will never grace a dinner table—and they seem to realize it. The reason is that they are blue ribbon winners at the New York Poultry Show for being the largest and smallest of their classes. The legal old White Holland turkey strains the scales at sixty-five pounds; and the black and red game bantam is just a few ounces of feathered fury.

### CHILD STARS STUDY BETWEEN SCENES



You may be a youthful Hollywood movie star, but you have got to get your reading, writing and arithmetic just the same. Here are Marguerite Campbell and Jerry Tucker, reciting their lessons for the studio teacher between camera scenes.

exclaimed Uncle Wiggily. You boys think the girls can't throw straight. So we'll have a snowball fight. We'll build a fort in the school yard. The girls may stay in the fort. The boys will stay outside and rush up, trying to capture the fort from the girls. But the girls will be the only ones allowed to throw snowballs. Not a boy may throw a ball."

"Hurray! That's all right!" quacked Jimmie. "Come on, fellows! No matter how many snowballs they throw at us the girls won't hit us and we can soon capture the fort! Come on!"

"Oh, is that so?" quacked Lulu, his sister. "All the same, you boys are afraid to let us girls throw snowballs at you."

"Ha! That gives me an idea!"

Both boys and girls helped,

in building the snow fort. Then the girl animals, with plenty of snow balls, took their places behind the white wall. Uncle Wiggily and Miss Mouse were the umpires. The boys lined up ready to rush the fort.

"Go!" cried Mr. Longears. At the fort the boys ran eagerly. But they met with such a shower of pelting snowballs that they soon stopped. Billie Bushytail was hit in the eye. Sammie Littletail was banged on his nose. Jimmie, the duck, was whammed on his back. Every boy was hit some place or other and so and they all turned and ran away.

"Hurray!" quacked Lulu,

# Katharine Hepburn Outstanding Movie Discovery of the Year; "A Farewell To Arms" and "Grand Hotel" Among Ten Best Films



Katharine Hepburn, outstanding film discovery of the year . . . I don't want Hollywood's help.

By DAN THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD—With a new year sounding the cue, the time has come for motion picture writers to go through their almost impossible feat of selecting the ten best films of 1932.

An "almost impossible" task is it because in my opinion no one person is capable of picking ten pictures out of approximately 500 and saying conclusively: "These are the best." About 400 film critics are making their "ten best" selections along about this time, and it is an even money bet that no two of them will agree. So don't take any of the selections too seriously.

An interesting feature of my list is that six of the films have been made during the last four months, proving rather conclusively that there is a decided upswing in the quality of production. Another interesting feature is that Leslie Howard, Paul Muni and John Barrymore each have two pictures on the list.

**GRAND HOTEL**, in my opinion, ranks as the outstanding production of the last year. Other pictures have brought out better acting; but each, taken as a whole, has fallen below the standard of "Grand Hotel." Garbo, the two Barrymores, Joan Crawford, Lewis Stone, Jean Harlow each have two pictures on the list.

"Trouble in Paradise" is another which easily ranks among the ten best 1932 products. Although this picture featured Miriam Hopkins, Kay Francis and Herbert Marshall, all of whom turned in splendid performances, most of the credit must be given to Ernst Lubitsch for his direction.

"The Doomed Battalion" stands out largely for its startling acting feats. And behind those scenes was woven a simple but powerful love drama between Luis Trenker and Tala Birell, the two principal characters.

"Smilin' Through," a re-make of one of Norma Talmadge's greatest successes, wins a place largely because of the perfect performances turned in by its three principal characters, Norma Shearer, Leslie Howard and Fredric March.

Underworld films reached their peak and practically died out with "Scarface." This picture was by far the best of a long and popular cycle, so good that it left nothing more to be done with gangster stories. And it brought into the movie spotlight three brilliant personalities—Paul Muni, George Raft and Ann Dvorak.

Here in Hollywood, Lee Tracy and "Blessed Event" still are synonymous. His work was largely responsible for making this picture one of the outstanding of the year. A fast moving and entertaining vehicle, it led a cycle of columnists films.

Two players alone get credit for having "Bill of Divorcement" placed on this list. They are John Barrymore and Katharine Hepburn. And John had to keep on his toes at all times to keep the picture from being stolen by young Miss Hepburn, the outstanding film "Discovery" of the year.

**I**M A FUGITIVE FROM A CHAIN-GANG" brought out Paul Muni again. And just as in "Scarface," Muni crashed through. And to Mervyn LeRoy must be given considerable credit for this success. He kept things moving at a high pitch.

"A Farewell to Arms" even surpassed Ernest Hemingway's novel from which it was taken. It was faultlessly directed by Frank Borzage and three perfect performances were turned in by Helen Hayes, Gary Cooper and Adolphe Menjou.

Last, but far from least, is "Animal Kingdom." This story of a man who discovered that his beautiful society wife really was his mistress and his mistress really his wife, was made a



Diana Wynyard, British stage star who came to the United States under stage contract and now is acclaimed for her superb performance in "Cavalcade."

## 10 Best Films of 1932

As Selected by

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VARIETY carried the cheerless tales that the Shuberts (Jake and Lee) were prepared to sell their assets to the highest bidder, since their receivership was going right on paying out rather than receiving. And just a few weeks ago it was said that the Shuberts controlled 70 per cent of the Broadway playshop world.

And hardly had the grand and elaborate programme of the new Rockefeller Center Music Hall in New York wriggled in my overcoat when whispers went around about two weeks' notices to players, about cancellations and vast money slashes. Then, overnight, the music hall ceased to be a music hall and became a movie house, whereas the movie theatre was closed.

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"Hollywood hasn't come a thing for me," Miss Hepburn declares. "Nor do I wish it to. Whatever comes to me I want to come through my own efforts. That attitude may seem ungrateful. But I don't mean it that way.

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"To me Hollywood is just another place of pavements, shops and people rushing like mad. I've done things for myself all my life. I've fought for what I wanted—and gotten most of the things. And I intend to continue doing that. I don't want Hollywood's help."

"It is a strong attitude. But if she maintains it, Hollywood will soon be owing to Miss Hepburn."

"EUROPE will have no trouble recognizing Tom Mix when he lands over there in a few weeks. The supply of ten-gallon hats he is taking along will assure that. Regardless of occasion, Tom always sticks to his huge headpieces. And he will do the same on the other side of the Atlantic. A few days ago Mix announced his retirement from the screen for a belated honeymoon in Europe. And then he will spend about a year touring the world with his trained horses."

"BUT IT is the high quality of acting that brings the personal cheers of this scribbler. Particularly watch and wait for the performance of Diana Wynyard, the beautiful English actress, who came over for one stage performance and was at once swallowed up by Hollywood. She plays Jane Marryott, wife and mother, during the stirring years of war and peace, robed of her lids but let's at the end with a toast to a decent day."

"DO YOU know the names of all the screen performers whose presence in a movie gives you pleasurable assurance the moment they step into the picture?"

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"Zasu Pitts is one of the foremost in the theatre, moved out to Hollywood at bigger and better sums than they had dreamed of heretofore. Mark you, with the exception of Colman, there is not one of the regulation film fan folk on the list."

"In other words the stage and screen are continuing to be scrambled, and the screen is gaining thereby."

"AT LAST we have found a girl who refuses to bow to Hollywood. And she is the outstanding find of the en-



Louise Closser Hale, favorite mother of the movies.



Charles Ruggles, comedian, and blonde Thelma Todd, right, the perpetual vamp.



Joan Crawford looks forward confidently to new screen laurels during 1933. Her obvious happiness in this new portrait may be due in part to plans she and Douglas Fairbanks Jr. are making for a vacation trip to Europe early in the spring.



Clara Bow coming back! That's the news from the film studios, and in these brand new pictures, the flaming-haired actress shows you how she intends to go about it. For instance, the photo above shows that her old smile is in good working order and—

working. Sometimes her parts are big. When she isn't making comedies for sometimes tiny, but always she stands in feature pictures.

CHARLIE RUGGLES probably never will be a star, but he is about the most popular supporting comedian on the screen. He always can be depended upon to come through, notwithstanding what his part is. In fact stories have often been changed to create a place for him.

A comedian often confused with Ruggles and also greatly in demand is Roland Young. One does not hear a great deal about Young, but he is seen in picture after picture, always doing an excellent piece of acting.

When a studio wants an actor for a father role, George Barbier invariably is first choice. So many seek his services that he can't fill all the roles. So Richard Bennett, C. Aubrey Smith or H. B. Warner often is substituted.

LOUISE CLOSSER HALE, an author as well as an actress, has played more mother roles than anyone else in Hollywood during the last year. Running her a close second are Beryl Mercer and Emma Dunn.

When the script calls for a straight-laced, old-maid aunt, Elizabeth Patterson is the first name to pop into a director's mind. Her work is well known, but she goes obscurely on her head.

"Red-headed Woman" was the picture which put Jean Harlow in actual starring class, but it was Una Merkel who had much to do with making the film a success. Una and her southern accent are so much in demand that she sometimes finds herself making two pictures at a time.

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Thelma Todd is rated as having played more serious and steady vamp roles than any other girl on the screen.

as you see in this picture, Clara can register a demureness that ought to tear the heart right out of any old cynic who believes that all the modern girl thinks about is having a good time. And if that doesn't click at the box office—

just get an eyeful of our Miss Bow in THIS picture! This is the way she'll pose in those big hot-cha scenes when the screen lover dashes up on his white horse (or trimotored monoplane) to tell her he's sorry and he loves her. He loves her, he loves her!

In all probability none of these players ever will be put in the star class with Garbo, Norma Shearer, Joan Crawford, Wally Beery, John Barrymore, Gary Cooper and others. But they are indispensable just the same

as you see in this picture.

THIS Gary Cooper is a hard-to-get guy who drives a hard bargain. He gave Metro some uneasy moments before agreeing to go over there from Paramount, his home lot, for Joan Crawford's new feature, "To-day We Live." Gary's bonus was the chief cause for haggling.

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# Business Looks Upward To 1933 As Realities Are Faced

By JOHN W. LOVE

THE PROMISE of the new year is cheering in one respect: the continent is facing its realities to a degree it has not been since the gay deceptive days of midsummer, 1929. This means that many outfits will be making settlements they have been putting off for a long time, and perhaps that the country as a whole will either give up the idea of returning to post-war price levels or decide by a supreme effort to restore them.

A good deal of the settlement is already behind us. Compromises of debt have been made in several directions and are being made right along in others. Many debtors now struggling with 6 per cent interest may have their burden noticeably lightened.

The black of 1932 is certain to be recompensed, for it is a member for its long tragedy, not alone for its settlement, its decline of industry, the struggle with the national finances, but also for a false dawn in late summer.

Once prosperity seemed really to be coming back, on the wave of seasonal improvement in August, but some of it faded with the color of autumn. Then the winter of our discontent set in, at the same time that ways out of our troubles began to come clearer in front of us.

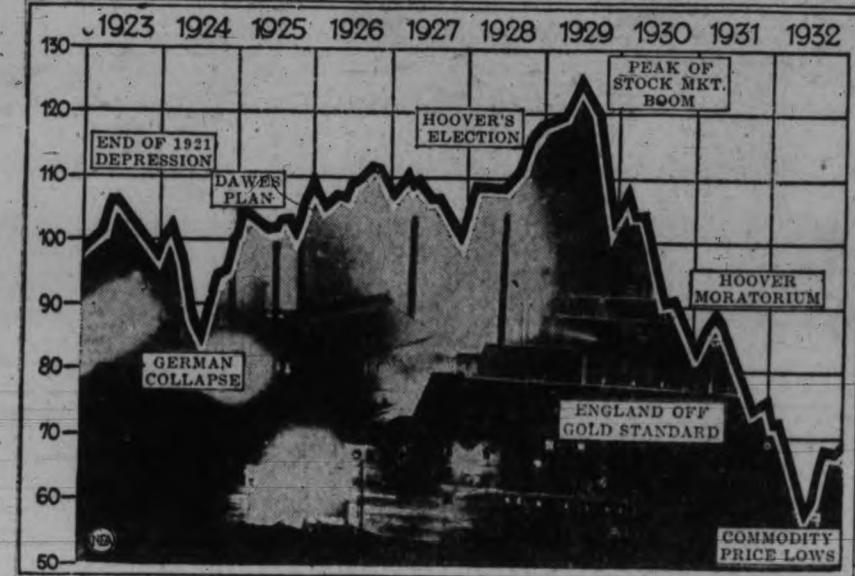
## A NEW BEGINNING

WE MUST, in a sense, begin over. Last spring witnessed the development of a programme which was remarkably consistent with itself. While a campaign against hoarding was going forward, the United States Government formed the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to lend to hard-pressed railroads, banks and insurance companies, together with a Home Loan Bank, and protected national banks with further privileges of currency issue. The administration capped it with a campaign in Washington to initiate the shorter work-week and increased purchasing. Then they awaited the coming of prosperity.

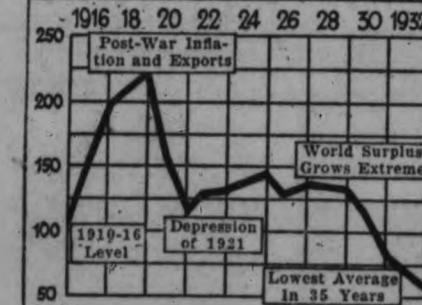
It arrived, it seemed, on schedule. The stock market saw the most remarkable boom in history (percentage gain). Commodity prices rose rapidly. Many returned to the banks. Business activity responded in August. The boom was on. But the frost was early.

A permanent residuum of confidence was doubtless reflected in the acts and decisions of the first half of the year, but the closing months ended in disappointment. Commodity prices returned to their old lows, due largely to the decline of the British pound and other depreciated currencies in prospect of large payments to the

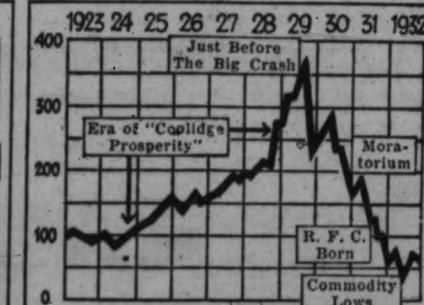
## TEN YEARS OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION



## FARM PRICES



## STOCK MARKET



foreign, was rising, a harbinger of better times.

Let us look at some of the industries. Electric power production had been the last to yield to depression, but by spring it was rapidly declining, reaching a low point in July. Steel production was irregularly downward all year, closing in miserable tonnages. Auto production was brisk in early summer, then headed for extremely low levels in fall, suddenly rising at the year-end.

The coal industry in the east and south was the first to pass last year's records—for coal the corner seemed to have turned. Railroad freight car loadings were irregularly lower most of the year, with a rally at the close. The building industry had the flattest year in living memory.

## KREUGER AND INSULL

The business men of whose affairs the ocean cables ticked off the most words in 1932 were Ivar Kreuger and Samuel Insull. It was March 10 that Insull announced he would give all his time to Midwest Utilities. Two days later Kreuger shot himself in Paris. Presently the most amazing complications were being disclosed in the affairs of both. Insull now is a fugitive from justice.

There were fewer mergers in 1932, but more financial reorganizations and receiverships. Sinclair merged Prairie and Sinclair to form Consolidated Oil and later bought Richfield. Studebaker merged White Trucks. Hoe and Company (printing presses), F. and W. Grand-Silver (stores), Chicago Rapid Transit, National Bellas-Hess (mail order), Interborough Rapid Transit

(New York subways), and United Cities went into court hands.

National Steel led its industry in earnings. Corrigan-McKinney and Newton Steel affiliated. Atlas Utilities continued its spectacular rise out of its recent lassitude. Other industries approach 1933 with little change evident.

This means the situation will be uncertain for a long time and that pending the inflationary effect of continued deficits, and the probable willingness of governments to lend to vital financial interests, individual concerns will have to work along as best they can, hoping for higher prices eventually but meeting present day markets with a determination to stay in business, no matter what happens to prices.

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## "Rule of Eleven"—Important Bridge Convention—Gives Check on Cards

You Cannot Advance From Novice Class in Contract Without Mastering This Device; Here Is Explanation of How It Works

By WM. E. MCKENNEY

AT BRIDGE we soon learn to lead the fourth best of our longest and strongest suit, especially against a no-trump declaration when partner has not bid. However, many players make this lead without understanding the reason for it and many partners fail to take advantage of the valuable information it conveys.

If the leader's partner will take the trouble to do so, he can frequently locate every card in the suit led, and that information will enable him to save many tricks in defensive play.

The cards can be located by using a simple mathematical device called the Rule of Eleven. The latter is a fundamental principle of defensive play and must be applied by everyone who wishes to advance from the novice class.

The declarer can also apply the Rule of Eleven and it assists him in locating the cards held by his adversaries. However, the declarer knows his strength and weakness as soon as he sees the dummy, and knows exactly what cards are out against him, while the adversaries have no direct way of learning it, therefore any information exchanged is likely to be of more benefit to the defending side than to the declarer.

THE RULE OF ELEVEN requires that the card led be the fourth best, or the fourth from the highest, card of the suit led (e.g. if you held Q-10-8-5-2, and that was the suit you had selected to open, the five spot should be led).

The numerical of the card led should be subtracted from 11 (in this case five from 11 leaves six). The result will tell you the number of cards higher than the card led that are in the hands of the three players other than the leader.

Using the above example (partner opening the five spot if dummy now held King-9-6 and you, as partner of

nine and the three the leader holds from nine leaves six, we shorten the procedure by deducting the three cards held by the leader from 14 and arrive at the constant figure of 11.

Now, for practice, take the 13 cards of the suit you are using and deal them out in four hands—in any distribution you care to, making sure that the opening leader always has at least four cards. Lead the fourth best, look at the dummy, look at either of the other two closed hands, and see if you can tell how many cards higher than the card led are in the other closed hand.

Practice this until you are thoroughly familiar with the working of the Rule of Eleven.

If dummy played the six, you would play the seven, which would hold the trick. If he played the nine you would win the trick with the jack, while if he played the King you would take it with the ace.

The mathematical principle of the Rule of Eleven is as follows: Cards in reality begin with the two spot—there is no one spot. Now, let us substitute an 11 spot for the jack, 12 spot for the queen, 13 spot for the king and a 14 spot for the ace.

Now select 13 cards from one suit of a deck and lay them out on the table in their ranking order. We are calling the ace, king, queen and jack the 14, 13, 12 and 11 spots, respectively.

Now select any small card and subtract it from the highest card—the 14 spot. If you had selected the five, you will now find, after deducting five from 14, that there are nine cards higher than the five spot in every suit.

As THE CARD led is always the fourth best, the leader therefore holds three of these nine cards, so instead of saying five from 14 leaves

four, he knows that the declarer holds no card higher than the four spot.

Therefore, if the declarer plays the six from dummy, East's seven spot will

hold the trick. Likewise, if the declarer plays the ten, East will win the trick with the jack; if the declarer plays the six, the seven now holds the trick with the jack; if the declarer plays the queen, East will win with the ace.

Supposing the declarer played the jack, unblocking the suit so that his partner can make the fifth card of that suit. If East were to return the five spot, West would be forced to win with the king; then when West returned the suit East would have it blocked with the ace-jack.

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Example No. 2  
Winning low and returning another suit to weakness.

North—Dummy  
Spades—K-10-7  
West—Leader  
Spades—Q-8-6-(5)  
South—Partner  
Spades—A-J-9  
South—Declarer  
Spades—4-3-2

West opens the five of spades. Five from eleven leaves six. As there are three in the dummy, East holding three knows that the declarer holds no cards higher than the five spot.

If dummy plays the seven or ten, East should play the nine over the seven and the jack over the ten. East should then lead another suit.

There is an old rule in bridge that says "Lead through strength and up to weakness," therefore East should select a suit which is weak in dummy. This is done in an endeavor to get West, his partner, in the lead again to return the spades, which would prevent the declarer from making a spade trick.

If East were to go up with the ace, he knows he is absolutely setting a trick in dummy for the declarer, and if the declarer does happen to hold the queen, he would be setting two tricks, as would be the case in this example.

Example No. 3  
Allowing partner to hold trick.

North—Dummy  
K-6-4  
West—Leader  
Q-10-8-(7)  
South—Partner  
A-J-9-5  
South—Declarer  
3-2

West opens the five spot. Dummy should play the six spot, which forces East's ten.

The declarer now wins with the ace and can safely take the finesse, as by applying the rule of eleven—five from eleven leaves six—he knows that, as there are three in dummy and declarer holds two and the one that East held was forced on the first trick, the queen is in the West hand.

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## SCIENTISTS DEBATE FUTURE OF UNIVERSE



Is the universe slowly being destroyed, or is it subject to a gradual process of re-creation? That was the subject for an unusual debate between the two celebrated physicists shown above when they appeared before members of the American Association for the Advancement of Science at Atlantic City, a few days ago. Dr. Robert A. Millikan of Pasadena, Cal., left, and Prof. Arthur H. Compton of Chicago, both Nobel Prize winners, based their arguments on opposing theories of the nature of the cosmic rays. Between them are cosmic ray detectors used by the scientists in their research work.

## A January Walk By Telegraph Bay--By Robert Connell

ON THIS little corner of Vancouver Island snow comes rarely, and makes at longest but a short stay. The delights of snowballing and sleighing are scarcely known, though an occasional frost may be prolonged enough for a brief interval of skating. The distant hills of Sooke and Goldstream are often white for weeks together, and we watch the story of winter on the silvery flanks of the Olympics or of Mount Baker's volcanic pile. But of the traditional landscape of a northern winter at our own doors we know little. If we walk in the woods we have the varied greens of the mosses, and the chickadees and kinglets look down at us from branches hung with lacy lichens, and in the fields and the glades among the spreading oaks there are vivid grasses that make one think of May.

The other afternoon two of us walked over to

Telegraph Bay. Although it was January the gardeners were busy with spade and rake on the slope below Lansdowne Road, where Nature has provided an ample drainage for the soil. Among the oaks across the road there were pools of water from which chattering little streams ran away to the broad lowlands of the Willows. We turned down Cadboro Bay Road where an old white railing marks an accident of bygone days when a wagon went over the steep bank to disaster. The little schoolhouse is long gone and some of the older houses are fast falling into the decay of age.

There is something saddening in the sight of rooms where one has once sat in cheerful talk, now tattered and bare, with broken windows facing orchard and sea like sightless eyes. But if the old go, there are newer homes replacing them, and the amenities of life move on in fresh channels.

OVER the hill where the forest is breaking out into new houses we come at last to the little bay behind whose beach there is now a pond of water, thanks to the great gale. And thanks also to it the sea is busy on an abundance of driftwood, more indeed than Telegraph Bay has seen for many a long day. The beach has been so worn by the waves that from its gravel may be seen protruding dark red conglomerate or pudding-stone. The casual geologist might be pardoned for mistaking it for a deposit of Tertiary or Cretaceous age, but actually it is of quite recent formation, no older than the powder works that used to occupy the plains that slope up to the foot of Prevost Hill. The dark red is the rust from the debris of ironwork of various kinds that came to

rest on this beach and of which traces may still be found in sundry pieces of old chain, etc., and this iron has formed the cementing material which has bound together the adjacent sand and gravel into the dark reddish conglomerate to furnish an interesting study in contemporaneous rock-building.

On the other side of the grey headland that forms the eastern boundary of the bay the great storm has left no uncertain mark. Vast piles of driftwood, from complete logs to broken water-worn fragments small enough for fireplace or stove, have been piled up against the rocks. A beach of shelly sand and gravel witnesses to the revolutionary action of the waves, and out across the grassy levels the soil has been bared, as if giant fingers had viciously clawed the surface of the land. New banks or diminutive cliffs have been recut by the waves, and the roots of the

shore-loving plants that serve as binders of the soil along the seaward edge make a bare and ragged fringe.

LONG the coast here runs the old road of the powder works, connecting the various buildings whose stone and cement foundations studied with iron bolts and nuts constantly meet one, looking like the ruins of ancient fortifications. The storm reached the road with its violence and in many places broached the foundation of broken rock and ate into the causeway. Quantities of this heavy material must have been removed by the waves, for in places the edge of the road is now undercut.

Returning by the quiet road through the woods past the old stone powder magazine and so to the main thoroughfare, we came at length to Cadboro Bay, whose crescent of sandy beach we followed.

Here we saw how both stonework and cement had been damaged by the relentless pounding of the waves with their ammunition of huge timbers. The cottages built on the very edge of the beach suffered more or less severely—there were some extraordinary escapes—but apparently a few feet back there was safety, at least from the bombardment of driftwood. Some of the buildings were already shored up or otherwise restored to some condition of equilibrium.

Meanwhile the sea, touched with opalescent tints of late afternoon under a cloudy sky, looked the very image of peaceful gentleness. A sand-piper on the shore tested pleasantly, making a little quavering reflection on the sand. Grey gulls flew lastly past. In the wooded turn of the bay the alders and maples were already dressing of spring as their catkins and buds felt the cool yet mild touch of the January air. The willows, first as ever, were already bossed with silver.

# Native Boy Dives After Crocodile, Frees Sister From Monster's Jaws Baby Orang-utans Nursed By Human Mothers Grow Up and Play With Children

The Victoria Daily Times herewith presents the eighteenth weekly instalment of "Wild Cargo," the thrilling new personal account of the adventures of Frank Buck, the man whom thousands here know through that unforgettable moving picture record of his venturing into the jungles to capture wild animal specimens.—"Bring Back Alive."

By FRANK BUCK  
With EDWARD ANTHONY

## CHAPTER FORTY-TWO

WHEN the fad for snake-skin shoes, handbags, etc., hit the United States and European countries it meant a new meal-ticket for many natives of Asiatic countries, particularly those dwelling in that tremendous stretch of marshy lowlands—with an area of several hundred square miles—that spreads out like a huge amphitheatre on the east coast of Borneo, south of Sandakan.

Here one finds by the thousands the variety of non-poisonous fresh-water snake whose brownish dotted skin has been converted into so many "novelties" and so many ladies' shoe-tops. Whole native villages turned out, when the craze first started, to find the gold in them that marshes. Some made their captures with nets made of jungle fibres, others used forked sticks, while the more primitive Borneans, disdaining fineness, merely banged Mr. Snakekin-Bag-to-Be over the head with a club.

Beginning about six years ago, the customer of me, bought me a "drink ticket" for the snake business and begged me with stories of local snake-catching. His favorite tale—and one that has become a legend in the district—is to do with a boy and a girl who at the height of the snake skin boom were out gathering snakes in the marshes. Those were the days when children worked side by side with adults to help supply the sudden demand for this strange commodity.

The youthful pair (the boy was fourteen and the girl twelve) were goshaking through the swamps, when they came to deeper water. As they reached a point where it was necessary to wade knee-deep, the boy slipped and gave his sister his hand so that she might step from rock to rock in the water.

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Some years ago I turned up at a Dyak village in quest of a tame orang suitable for stage work in the vaudeville theatres. I had been tipped off about a fine tame specimen that had been raised from infancy with one of the native families. I located the Dyak who owned this animal and soon learned that I had not been misinformed. It was a fine healthy young animal, about four or five years old, measuring in height about twenty-

inches "in a sitting position," which is the professional method of measuring apes.

SOMEHOW the boy managed to land on the monster's back, and not many seconds afterwards the natives were astounded by the sight of the reptile rising to the surface with the boy's legs securely locked around its body and his thumbs gouging out its eyes. The crocodile, blinded, relaxed its jaws and let the little girl go. The boy dragged her out of the water and got her back to the compound. Though badly maimed, she survived.

The little boy became a hero, according to the trade, and, now a youth of about eighteen, was still the idol of the natives. Would I care to meet him? The young man would tell me the story himself—as would also the natives who had witnessed his heroic feat.

I was forced to decline, not caring to oblige myself to a man who was trying to sell me a commodity for which I had no use. I wished him luck with his snake skins, bought him a drink and was off in quest of the reptiles that had brought me to this district.

### AMUSING BABY APES

THE ORANG-UTAN often constitutes a meal-ticket for the natives along the north and west coasts of Borneo and up in the river settlements in the interior. There is always a trader who is willing to pay a good price for one.

When the orangs make their periodic raids on the durian and jackfruit trees that are an invariable feature of any settlement in those parts, the natives watch carefully for a mother and child of the species. The mother, in such a situation, is the victim of a blow-gum or a spear, and the young one is captured. If it is a baby it is placed under the care of one of the nursing mothers of the village. It is an unusual sight in these primitive districts to see a mother nursing her own child on—breast-and-an-infant orang on the other.

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Photo from the Van Beuren-Frank Buck Motion Picture, "Bring 'Em Back Alive." Proboscis Monkey that, from the Tree-tops of Borneo's Marshes, Watches the Very Beginnings of My Lady's Snake-skin Shoes

four inches "in a sitting position," which is the professional method of measuring apes.

DURING my negotiations for this orang with its Dyak owner I stood where I could see this animal playing a game (a sort of Asiatic "tag") with a number of small children. The effect on the children was instantaneous when the Dyak Father broke up the game by taking hold of the playful animal and placing it in an old shipping box which we had converted into a cage by adding a barred front.

The children knew something was wrong, although it took them a few minutes to grasp the full significance of what was taking place. When they realized that their little playmate was about to be taken from them they set up a great wailing. This their father regarded as foolish sentimentality, a fact which he emphasized by brandishing a stick at them.

WANTED this orang, but I had no desire to break up a happy home; so I asked the Dyak if he was quite sure he wanted to sell. He was amazed at what I said, obviously considering me silly for paying any attention to the children. He went on to remind me that we had closed the deal and that he didn't think it fair of me to back out now. Relieved, I paid for the

animal and prepared to leave with it, aided by natives with carrying poles.

Again the children crowded round their father, now he had his money, had lost interest in me and gone about his business. I distributed new pencils, bright-colored beads and jack-knives among them with miraculous results. At once they were joyful, gleefully showing each other their presents. In fact, they forgot their orang-utan pal completely, dashing off to show another group of children their treasures and failing, as we made our departure, to make any reply at all to the little animal as it stuck one arm through the bars and waved in an effort to get their attention.

### CHAPTER FORTY-THREE

Hillmen of the Himalayas and Their Wondrous Songbirds

THEN there are the hillmen of the United Provinces, Northern Assam and Sikkim, who made a living by providing the world with its best songbirds—the shama thrush (finest of all songsters), the racket-tailed durango (greatest of all mimics, beside which our North American mocking-bird is a mere novice at imitating other birds), the golden-fronted green bulbul, the red-sided hill-tit, the white-headed

laughing thrush, and other accomplished whistlers and singers.

I have dealt for years with these people. Their business is comparable to that of the Germans of the Harz Mountains who supply the world with so big a percentage of its fine canaries, only instead of being bred domestically as canaries are, the Himalayan birds are taken as fledglings from the wild birds' nest and reared by hand.

ON ACCOUNT of the nature of my business, whenever I speak of a thrill my friends at once visualize a hand-to-hand encounter with a ferocious animal. Let me go on record then, as saying that I know of no greater thrill than coming down the mountains through the gorgeous tea gardens of the Himalayan foot-hills on the way to Siliguri, where one connects for Calcutta—with a caravan of a thousand birds, many of them whistling and singing. The picture of the boys bearing on their carrying-poles this lovely car—a soft of feathered pipe-organ that fills the air with music—an unforgettable one.

Usually, however, all the poetry is knocked out of me when I reach Siliguri. There, on loading my birds on the cars, I invariably discover that I have fewer specimens than I paid for. No matter how carefully you watch these hillmen you're in for a short count. They know more about making the birds disappear than Fred Keating, the magician.

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A NOTHER picturesque means to a livelihood is that of the tribes that live in the section of the Himalayas where India and Tibet meet. Once a year these mountaineers come down to Calcutta with the most beautiful pheasants known to man—the Impeyan, the tragopan, the blood pheasant and other dazzling varieties that zoos and fanciers everywhere are anxious to secure.

A picturesque lot, these Tibetan hillmen. Enormous, wild-looking fellows, with long matted hair. Dressed in their heavy felt robes of hammered wool, they look strangely out of place. Even the phlegmatic Hindus follow them around and gaze at them in awe, wondering, perhaps, how much damage these giants could do with the big knives they carry.

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INEVITABLY this discussion of yak-tails reminds me of something that took place in the lounge of the Grand Hotel in Calcutta some years ago. I had been cornered by a chap who was in an advanced state of tipsiness. Having learned that I had just come in from Nepal with a pair of rhines, he proceeded to tell me that he wished people would stop collecting such ugly brutes. How could anyone look at a rhino without shuddering? Why didn't I devote myself to catching something worth looking at, like a green yak? He went on to tell me that this was the most beautiful animal in the world. It had a lovely green tail and green skin and eyes to match. If I didn't believe him he'd be glad to show me the tail of one of these handsome emerald creatures that he himself shot.

I assured him that I needed no proofs—that if he said there was a green yak there was a green yak.

"Don't contradict me!" he cried. "I can prove it!"

"I'm sure you can!" I agreed.

"I can't, eh?" continued the contrary cuss. "Just wait and see!"

My unsteady acquaintance walked off and I thought this would be the end of the discussion. My guess was wrong. He returned shortly afterwards with a green yak-tail swisher he had bought at the Bow Bazaar.

"When I say there's a green yak," he yelled, tossing the swisher at my feet.

"I don't want any arguments, see?"

With which he tottered off.

THE SUBJECT of dying reminds me of one means of living off jungle products practised by certain natives that is not quite as honest as the others I've mentioned. This is what might be called the spice-finch racket, which at times is a fairly profitable game in Calcutta and other cities of India.

The spice finch is a plain little brown bird somewhat smaller in size than our North American sparrow. Enterprising natives dye them all colors of the rainbow and sell them to gullible tourists as rare specimens.

They still tell the story of the English school teacher—one of those amateur bird authorities—who got a London newspaper to run a letter she sent announcing the discovery, in Calcutta, of a new species of bird. She called it the mottled something-or-other. (I don't quite remember.) At any rate, she was accurate in her selection of adjective. For if there is anything more mottled-looking than a dyed spic-finch that has begun to moult, I'd like to know what it is.

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# Packs, Travaux, Red River Carts, Prairie Schooners Traversed Western Canada In The Slow Days Before Autos and Airplanes

By Robert Connell

Noted Island Naturalist

THE METHODS of carrying goods from one place to another mark various stages along the path of human progress. The simplest method is of course on the back: when you strike out in the summer for your week or a fortnight of simple life in the hills you pack up your knapsack and drag it across your shoulders. The old British Army for the wayfaring man, seaman home from a voyage or mechanic looking for a job, was a stick over one shoulder with the burden such as it might be tied up in a great kerchief at the further end. The Chinese brought over here their ancient improved shoulder stick, balancing their burdens at each end of a long pole suitably prepared, in this way they carried heavy weights many miles. Years ago they were to be met with on all our roads for several miles about the city, distributing fish and vegetables from door to door from farmhouse to farmhouse, or collecting eggs and hen from the poultry-yards in their basket crates. The pole carried between two men is a very old-fashioned mode of transport, occasionally used by hunters to carry a deer. In an old fable the man and his son, who are not permitted by the fault-finding passers-by to ride their ass either singly or together, finally carry it in this fashion between them. The heavy loads carried by the voyageurs of the Hudson's Bay company where the rapids of rivers demanded a portage, sometimes of several miles, were managed by a broad band about the brow, a method learned from the Indian tribes.

The Red River cart was a two-wheeled conveyance with skeleton sides, the whole made of wood and fastened together by wooden pins and "shag-anappi," or strips of rawhide. This rude construction and simplicity of material was of great advantage in a country where hundreds of miles separated the trading posts and their blacksmith's forges. An axe, a pole of polar or spruce, and the supply of shag-anappi, always on hand, were all that were needed to repair a broken shaft or wheel. Pictures of these old carts show curious "dished" wheels that recall the stories the pioneer settlers used to tell of the long distances over which the breaking of the cart trains could be heard. I never saw the old-time carts, but I have seen the more modern ones which in trains of 200 or more used to cross the prairie to Saskatoon and carry the freight brought thus far by rail to Battleford for distribution to the posts and settlements north and west. On the west side of the river at Saskatoon where a section-house was the solitary dwelling—the town of those days stood high above on the prairie's edge—the broad flat would at times be covered with carts waiting their freight, while their ponies grazed upon the neighboring hills. Even these carts for all their improvement in construction made a characteristic sound and could be heard long before the winding line came into sight.

WITH the coming of the wagon, factory-made and gaily painted with the maker's name duly embossed on a scroll, the era of common-place transportation seemed to have arrived. Yet I recall certain narrow-tired wagons that had traveled across the border from the drier regions of the States that seemed to have a certain adventurousness about them. And once I saw an old weather-beaten wagon on its return journey from the west drawn by a horse and a cow, an ill-matched team indeed. But the farmer's wagon reached its romantic height when converted into

a "prairie schooner." In the later eighteen-nineties many of these, sometimes trains of them, were to be met with on the Calgary-Edmonton trail. They were the conveyances of American farmers escaping from the clutches of the mortgage companies that had in times of depression become the landlords of much of Nebraska and Iowa. These men whose fathers had crossed the Mississippi to the free lands beyond were now trekking north to the homesteads of Canada. Very picturesque these trains were. The "schooners" were wagons fitted with transverse bows of willow over which a great canvas hood was stretched to form roof and walls for the family within. With them came herds of horses and cattle with their herders. The first woman I ever saw riding astride was a grey-haired Indian in cotton bonnet and a man's overalls who was driving the cows of one of these immigrant trains.

OX-wagons may be said to have carried on the tradition of the Old Red River carts, and their vehicles were often almost as homely. Whether harnessed by wooden yoke or by collar and traces, the ox is a picturesque animal, slow-moving, and always with something protestant about him, as if realizing that traction is no work for a wise and ruminating beast. When from panic or any other cause an ox takes to his heels he is a particularly unmanageable fellow, since there is no bit in his mouth to restrain him. I write of him in the present tense for he is still very much to the fore, even in these mechanized days, a cheap and powerful animal for work requiring power and steadiness rather than speed.

THE OLD stage-coach of the West was a peculiar institution, now a thing of the past. Some twenty years ago I saw one, discovered in a California livery stable and brought out to convey a party of workmen to a point in the hills. It must have been many years since it was last used, but the great leather straps on which the body swung seemed as good as ever. A good idea of the stages that used to run in the interior of this province may probably be had from the following description of two American ones operating south of the boundary: the author is W. H. Barneby in his "Life and Labor in the West" (1890).

But man soon discovered the advantage of using the animals of the flock and herd for purposes of transport. In Canada the western Indians made use of the horse, which had been introduced to the prairies where millions of years before he had originated. In a country devoid of roads the simplest means of using the animal seemed to the Indian mind that of attaching him to a light framework, a pair of poles, to which were fastened the belongings of each family. This was the "travails" or "travails"—pronounced "travoy" or "travay"—of the Great Plains. The poles were about sixteen feet long. Two ends were attached to the saddle, the other two trailed the ground behind, while between and close to the horse's hump a network of native leather straps was formed to hold the goods or even for the cradle of an invalid. With all its limitations it was an ingenious invention.

ROUGH and mountainous country the pack-horse was indispensable in pioneer days, and yet it had its own on the fringe of civilization. The art of "packing," or arranging on the pack-saddles the various boxes, sacks, etc., is one that to be undertaken lightly, as many a tender

foot and running was soon resumed. They traveled with such expedition that although it was afternoon when they left the hut, they traveled at least thirty miles before nightfall.

SUMMER-TIME in the northern part of the Hudson's Bay territories is a time of travel by water. There rivers and lakes take the place of the trails of the prairies. Thus the journey from Fort Garry to the Hudson Bay was made by canoe, and from Athabasca Landing the freight of the Company was done by York boats. Two types of canoes have been developed by the Indian races. One is the birch-bark canoe, the "wukwukichem" of the Cree, whose lines survive in the Peterborough canoe of Eastern manufacture. Then in some places where canoes were little used and birch-bark scarce were made rough dug-outs, mean-looking craft in which nevertheless the Indian managed to cross even the broad, swift waters of the Saskatchewan. And then comes the glorified dug-out of the Pacific, the cedar war canoe of the Hydahs, the racing canoe of the Cowichan. The birch-bark canoe is the characteristic "boat" of the Eastern Indians and the voyageurs, admirably suited in every respect for their needs and for the waters to be traversed. It could carry heavy loads, traverse rapids, follow the intricately winding waterways, and when need arose be easily carried on the shoulders of the voyageurs around the lengthiest portage. When we read the words of Charles Mair in his "Miscellany" we catch something of the magic of the birch-bark canoe:

"We sail down the foaming crown  
Like arrow from the string—  
Into the waste of waters wild—  
Where winds and eddies rave!  
And tempest of the wave!"

Past rocky points, with bays between,  
Where pelicans, bright-bued,  
Are flushed to flight with birds like night—  
The cormorant's impish brood—  
And madly now our frail craft leaps

Adown the billows strife,  
And cleaves their crests and seething breasts  
As 'twere a thing of life.

Till swept o'er many a swirling swell,  
The final surge is past,  
And like the strife of human life,  
We reach calm floods at last."

THE PACIFIC Indian cedar canoe resembles those of other peoples on the greatest of the oceans. The Polynesians had dug-outs that would hold as many as fifty or sixty people, and like ours, they were skillful navigators of the sea. As Margaret Sinclair says:

"With shouts of labor, songs of glee,  
The mighty war canoe is made  
For the sea, with tools like these,  
My little Maori axe of jade."

The Pacific type of canoe has never captured the white race as the birch-bark one has long

since done. This is probably because of the immense importance of the latter in the early days of settlement in both Upper and Lower Canada and the Maritimes. But the cedar canoe played for some years a very useful part in the life of the pioneers of this part of the world. Thus the Hudson's Bay Company, as Mr. A.

# EX-KAISER LISTENS TO WHISPERS HE MAY BE RECALLED

Wilhelm, In Luxurious Exile, Awaits Day When 60,000,000 Agonized Folk He Fled From May Welcome Him Back



Left—Wilhelm II at the height of his power as Germany's war lord. Right—Wilhelm Hohenzollern as he is to-day, an exile in Holland.

By WILLIS THORNTON

LONDON—Sixty-nine years of the power, the glitter and the glory of an emperor; then fifteen years shut up in sleepy little Dutch town playing games built around a vanished majesty!

No wonder William of Hohenzollern, he who had been emperor of United Germany, gazes down from Doorn toward the old home-land, bents an attentive ear to whispers that he may once more be welcome there. Von Schleicher rules, Hitler bids for power, his son, the former Crown Prince, confers weightily with party leaders. All are favorable to his return. Perhaps The Day will come again! This endless splitting wood, walking in the garden, sitting and watching yourself grow old!

The oldsters, his contemporaries, the monocled aristocrats die off, but many remain faithful. Boys have grown to manhood who have never known anything but a republican Germany. Perhaps it is as well that there are many who do not remember—

**HIS INGLORIOUS EXIT**

At Eysden, a sleepy little town on the Dutch frontier near Maastricht, there is an insignificant railway station, with a box-like iron waiting room.

On the morning of November 10, 1918, a quiet Sunday morning about 10 a.m., a man trudged in the box-like waiting room. He was dressed in the field grey uniform of a German general officer. Occasionally he left the room and strode impatiently up and down the station platform. Before him were two sets of frontier posts, one bearing the colors of the kingdom of the Netherlands, one bearing the black-white-red of imperial Germany. For six years the man waited, the man who had never had to wait six minutes before. He waited while a distracted Dutch major called The Hague by telephone, and ministers and a queen conferred. Simple Dutch country-folks gathered at the station to see the strange sight of the field grey general surrounded by his little group of soldiers and civilians, and the dazzling white-and-gold royal train that stood on the tracks. Within the box-like waiting room the man sat again, and waited.

Early the next morning, November 9, the kaiser leaned against the chimney-piece of his headquarters villa at Spa, while a fire crackled in the grate. Around him, glittering with stars and orders, stood officers. Hindenburg, Groener, Plessen, Count Schulenburg.

**BUT NOT BEHIND YOU!**

They all knew the truth, but none dared speak until Groener quietly and evenly said the words: "Under its leaders and generals the army will march home, but not under the command of your Majesty. It is no longer you."

As the emperor stood, stunned by these terrible words, from which none dissent, more wires came piling in from Berlin. It was a question of minutes. Mobs were in Berlin streets.

Prince Max did not know when they would break into violent revolution.

They threatened us, made signs of choking and hanging us, etc. In such manner was our poor emperor received on Dutch soil."

Yes, and in such manner, too, was his "poor emperor" received by the world during all the fifteen years of exile at Amerongen and Doorn. Fifteen years of comfort and ease, while his country had writhed in the agonies of post-war depression and political turmoil.

Safe, and comfortable, because he ran away!

## MOTHER WINS TEN AWARDS

She Defeats All Male Competitors in Exams at Charing Cross Medical School

She Became Proficient in Studies in Spare Time Between Wifely Duties

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times

LONDON—When the prizes were given out at the medical examination at the Charing Cross Hospital Medical School, it was Mrs. A. G. Harrison who won ten of the awards. In ten different subjects she had defeated all her male competitors.

And Mrs. Harrison only studies medicine in her spare time. Her chief occupation is being a wife to a chartered accountant in Gerrard's Cross and a mother to two children, a son and a daughter, named Alan and Joan.

Among the subjects in which Mrs. Harrison took first were: Gynaecology, otolaryngology, ophthalmology, psychological medicine, hygiene and public health, medicine, midwifery, surgery, pathology, bacteriology.

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Stopping a threatened war between Bulgaria and Greece—Outside of setting up the World Court, this act in 1925 was the biggest job the league has done.

Settlement of Greek Refugees from Asia Minor—By means of a commission and raising of a \$50,000,000 loan for Greece, 1,500,000 Greek refugees, driven from Asia Minor by the Turks in the war of 1922, were settled in their homeland, given lands, supplies and made self-sustaining.

Ending the Dispute Between Sweden and Finland Over the Åland Islands—Finland claimed sovereignty and held on, though the majority of the people in the islands wanted union with Sweden. The league recognized Finland's sovereignty, but arranged new safeguards for the preservation of the Swedish character of the population. Both nations accepted.

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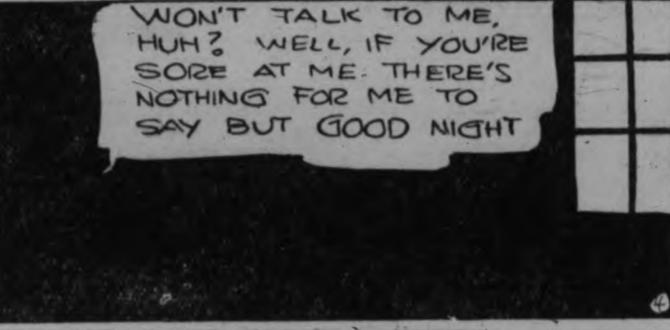
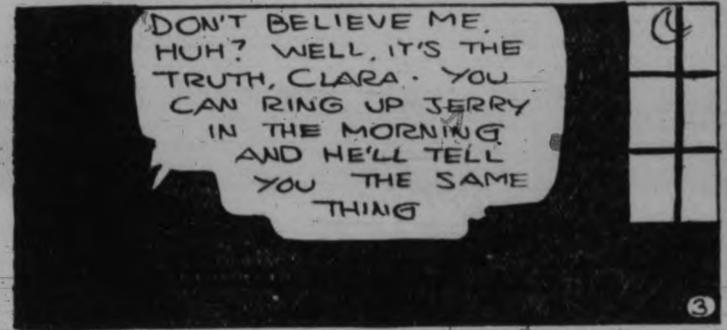
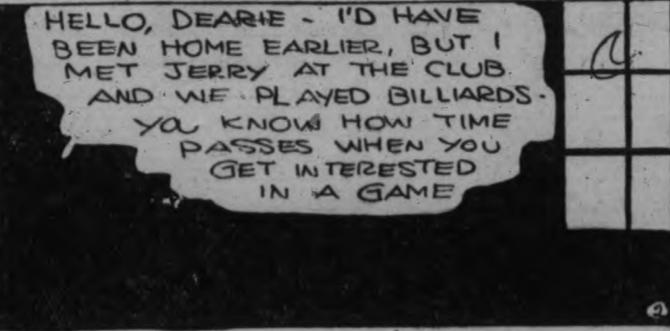
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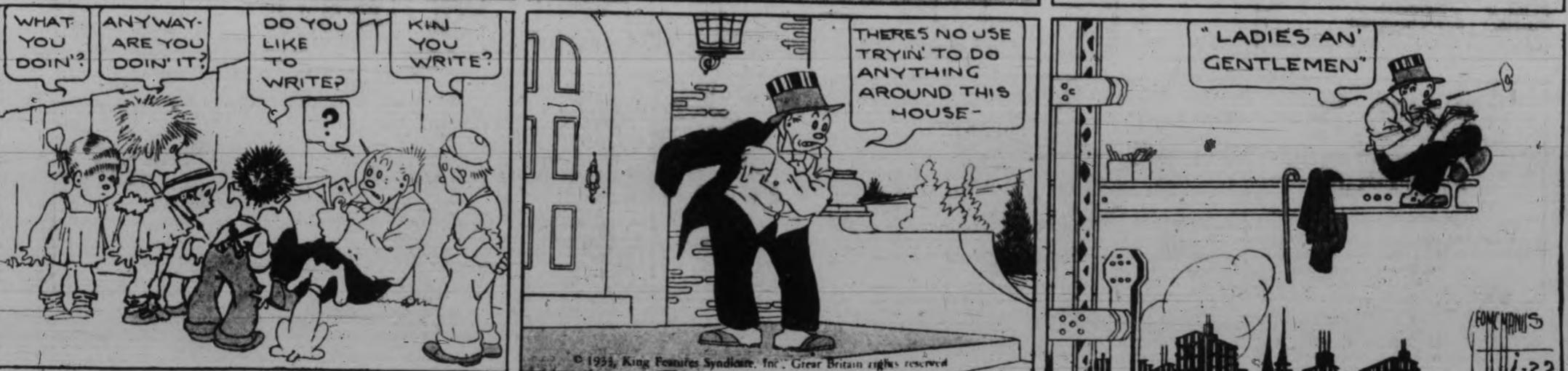
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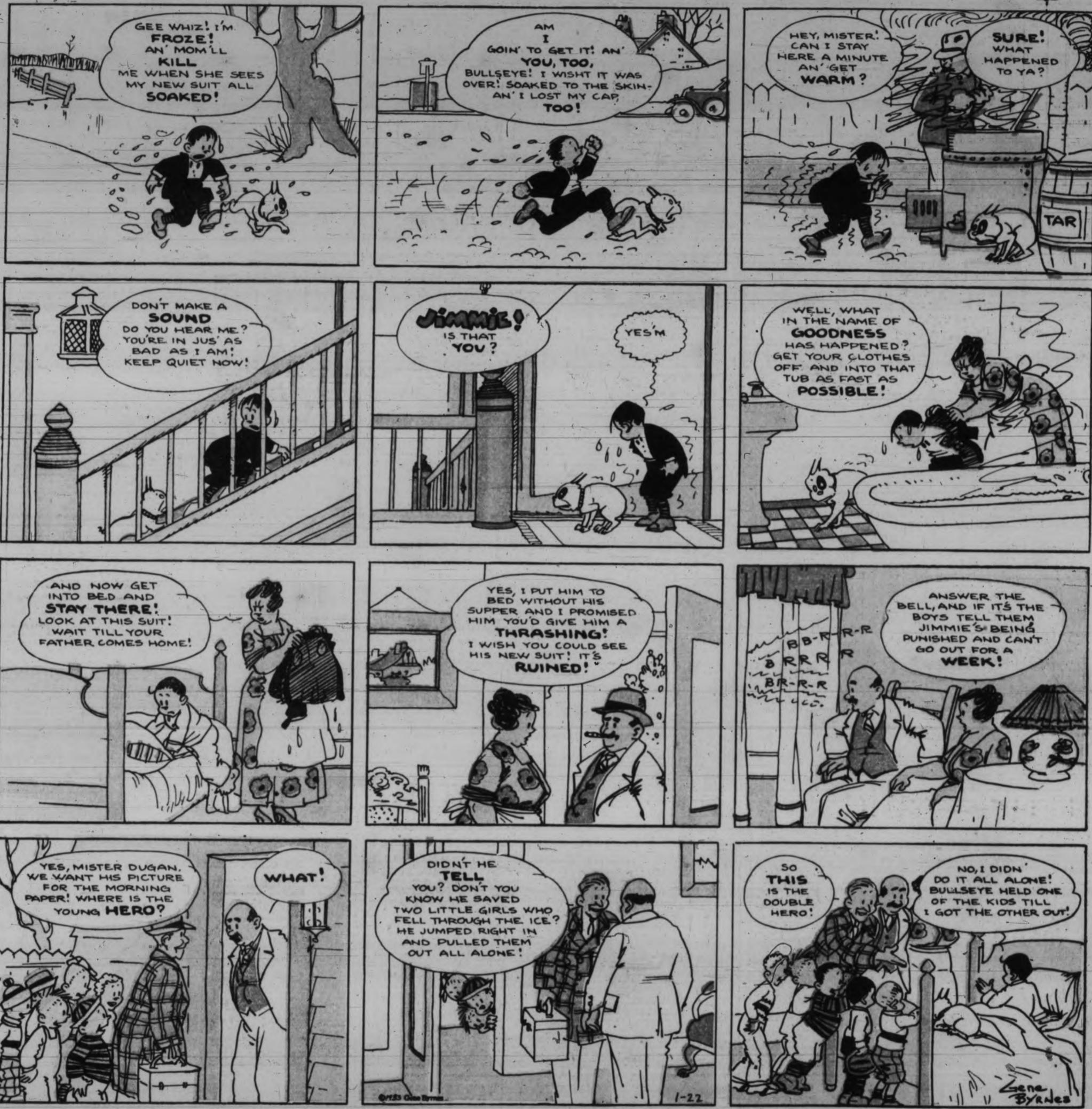
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